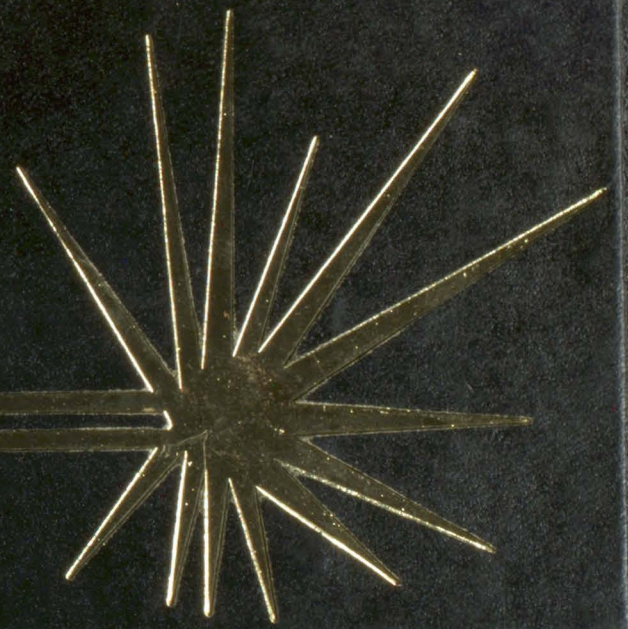
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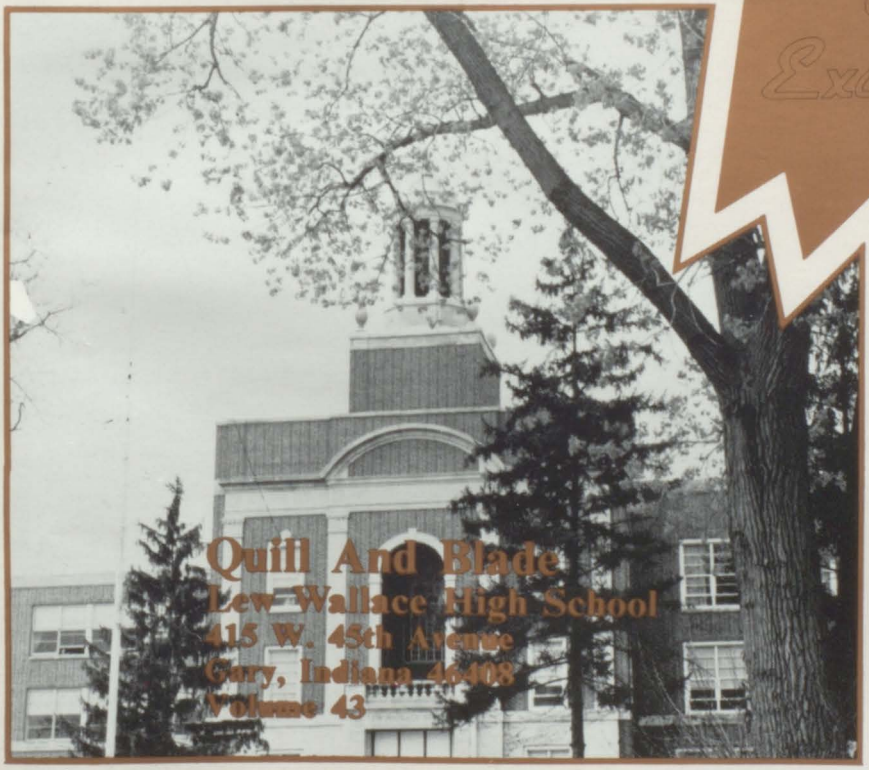
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A Spark of

Homecoming's sweet trappings were everywhere. It was a nostalgic time, a time for queens and roses, a season for parades and ***Sparks of Excellence.***

The sophomore class had won the coveted spirit stick for being the loudest rowdies ever. A proud Joe Auguano exclaimed, "Not only did our class win the spirit stick, but we won for having the best van in the parade."

This year's Homecoming Queen Natalie Nash, senior, and her escort Devin Moton, senior, had reigned over the spectacle of halftime activities, accompanied by Natalie's comely court, that consisted of Unme Thompson, Alicia Comsa, Neysa Holman, and Roslyn Dubose, all seniors.

The finale of the homecoming game came when the Hornets had rounded the Roosevelt Panthers 36-6.

After the homecoming victory, gridiron stars and spectators alike left the stadium for a lively and memorable SOS jam.

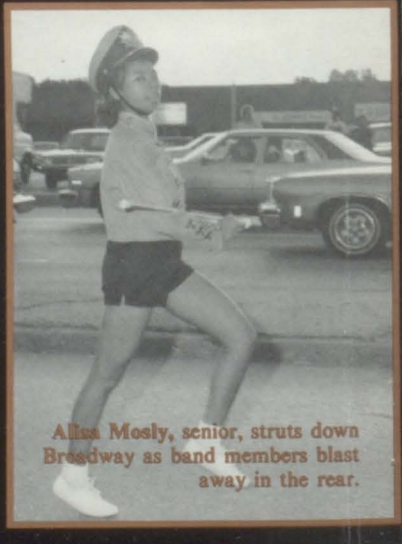
— Tony Palm and Angie Auguano —



Football Homecoming Queen Natalie Nash and her escort Devin Moton, both seniors, pass in review at half time.

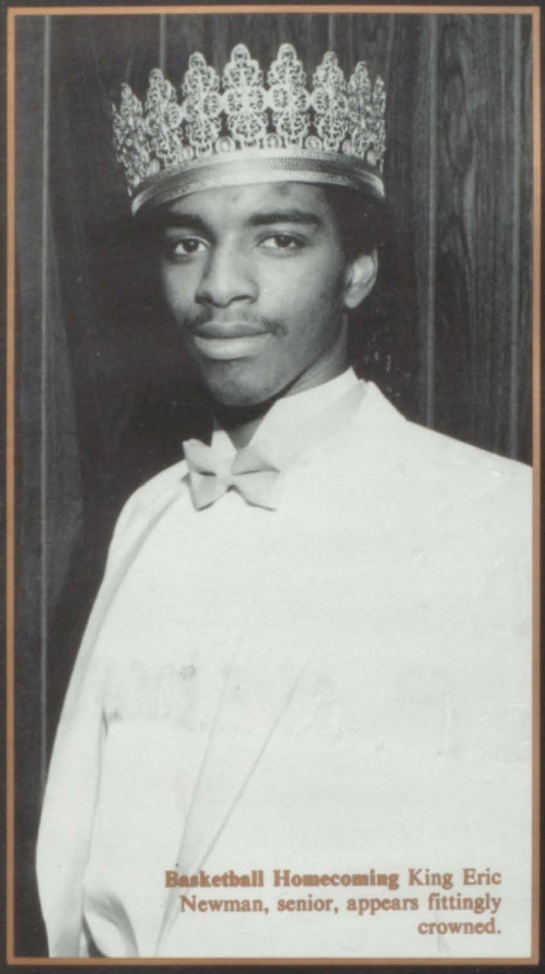


Frosh Mario Auguano, wearily sighed, "At times it seemed like I was the only one at Wise Way's decorating cars."



Alisa Mosly, senior, struts down Broadway as band members blast away in the rear.

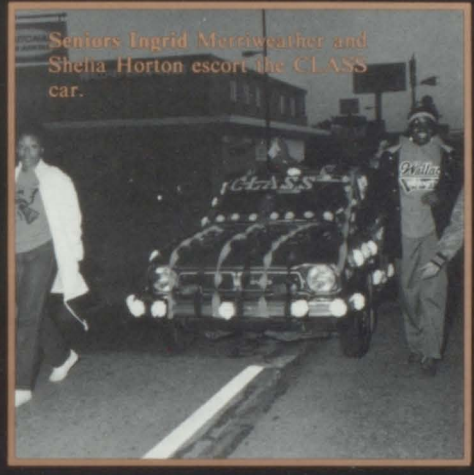
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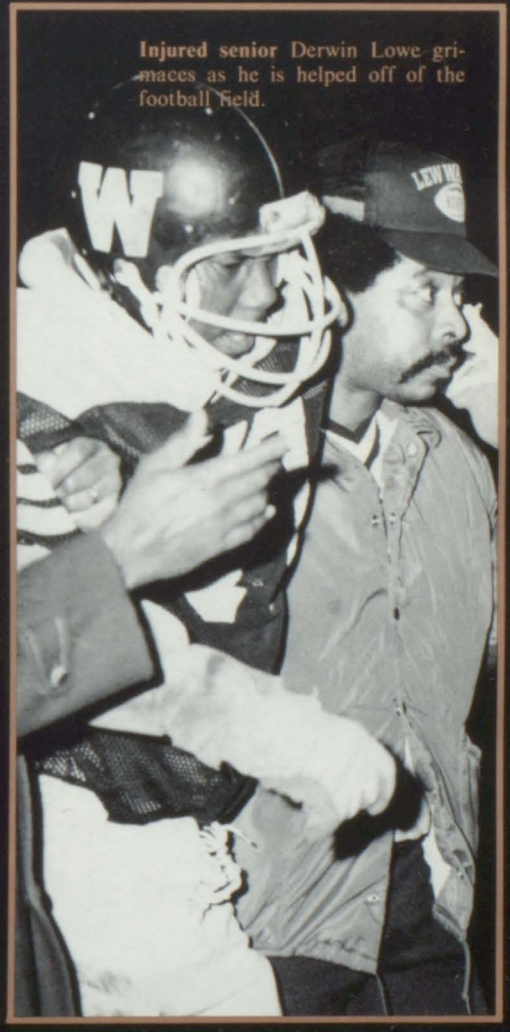
Basketball Homecoming King Eric Newman, senior, appears fittingly crowned.



Cheerleaders put on a show amid pom poms and hoopla.



Seniors Ingrid Merriweather and Sheila Horton escort the CLASS car.



Injured senior Derwin Lowe grimaces as he is helped off of the football field.

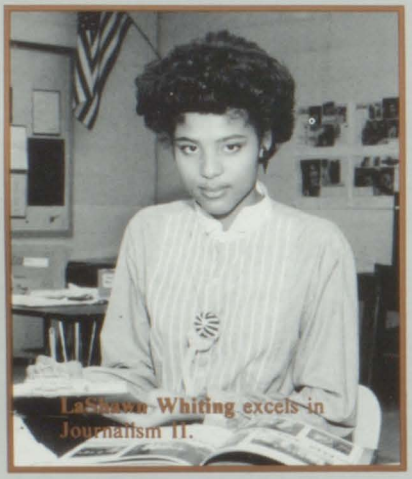


The 1983 Football Homecoming Court poses regally.

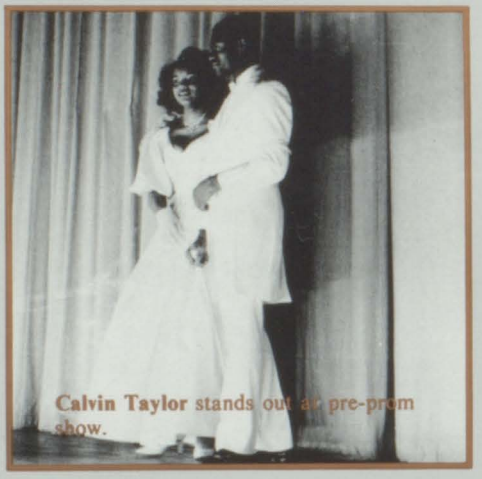
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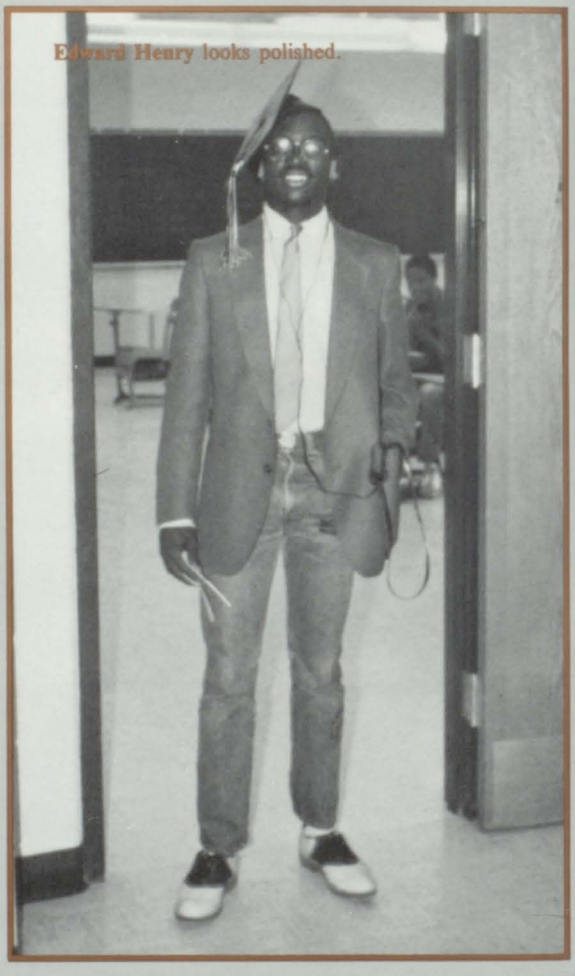
Sylvia McDonald and cheerleaders brighten up parade.



LaShawn Whiting excels in Journalism II.



Calvin Taylor stands out at pre-prom show.



Edward Henry looks polished.



Lisa Campbell and gang glow on senior white day.

of Student Life



Achievers, by-in-large, are special birds that like to fly high above the flocks of humanity. Their shining mettles do seem to reflect the sunshine so, like glinting sparks as they soar.

Often, theirs prove to be more purposeful planes whose passages seem to surpass the more traversed and mundane; theirs, the more noble instincts of striving harder, vaulting higher, and reaching loftier elevations.

Achievers are like pilots whose vantage points prove paramount to the well being of the droves. Among their distinguishing numbers even greatness wings. Their superior paces chart the glide paths for those who follow.

Thus, theirs are the surer courses, the celebrated guests, the higher flights — like "Chariots of Fire" they carry that divine **Spark of Excellence** somewhere within. And in the end, their compelling drives and journeys transcend even themselves.



— Jazz —

Kindles The Flame









Spotted among the high flying achievers at LW this year, no less than in years past, are exceptional individuals like co-valdictorians Robert Trjkovski and Katherine Webb, like Salutatorian Ingrid Merriweather, and like the rest

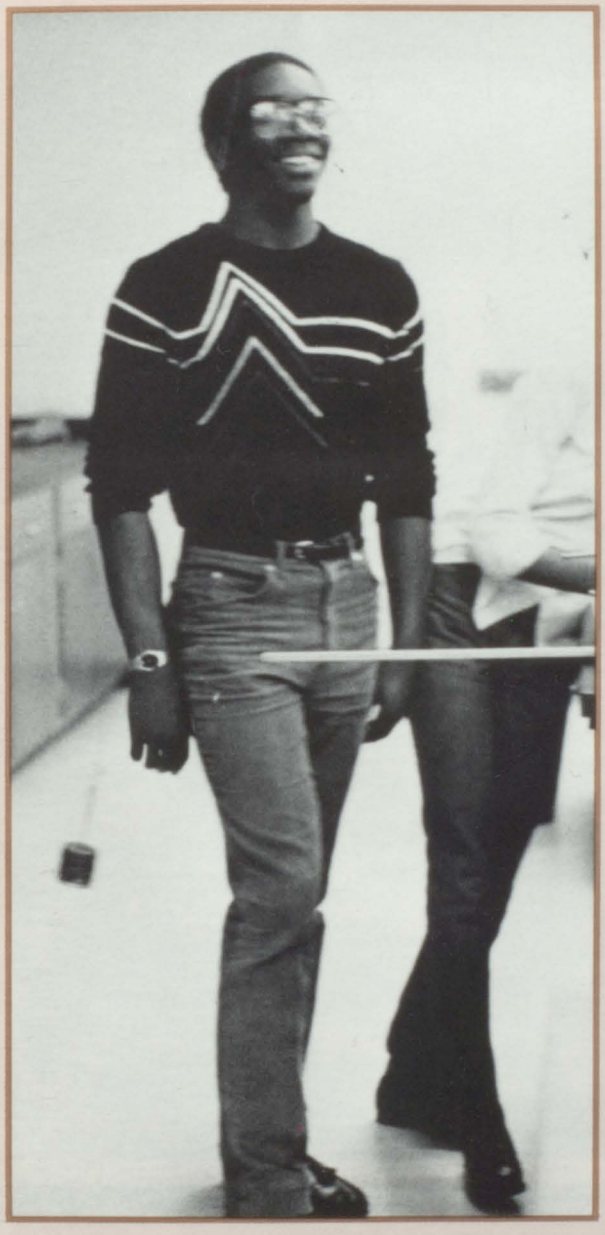


of the top ten seniors: Rebecca Cougias, Shelia Horton, Larry Moore, Zenia Nichols, Daryl Randolph, Unme Thompson, Joseph Toro, and George Vanzanellis

George, Shelia, and Bryon Garner, seniors excelled further by achieving second place in this year's Academic Superbowl VII.

Other achievers who carried their **Sparks of Excellence** to LW are Donald Robinson, senior, gifted in sports; Janice Galloway and Crystal Reese, seniors, talented in music; and Rebecca King, senior, both gifted and talented; as well as natural born leaders like Lionel Jackson, senior.

of Knowledge









FLASH DANCE

Flashdance's theme song "What A Feeling" has inspired some of the hottest fashions of the '80's. Hollywood's "torn t-shirts, leg warmers, head bands, sleek slippers and spikes" reflect some of the in-looks of today.

The "preppy look" is still around too. Guys and dolls still don "polos, izods, argyles, loafers, Oxford's, together with Ivy League tops and sports coats."

The future, too, has come to high fashion and it's pure "punk." The latest rages of this flamboyant futuristic, style are "chain belts, tight mini skirts, leather and metal jackets, spiked braclets, multi-colored hair in cans, freaky glasses, and wild, wild make-up.

Maybe some of the more timid types might ask where will it all end? Well, if some of us make it to the year 2000, it'll be in a **space suit,** space suit, space suit, space suit.

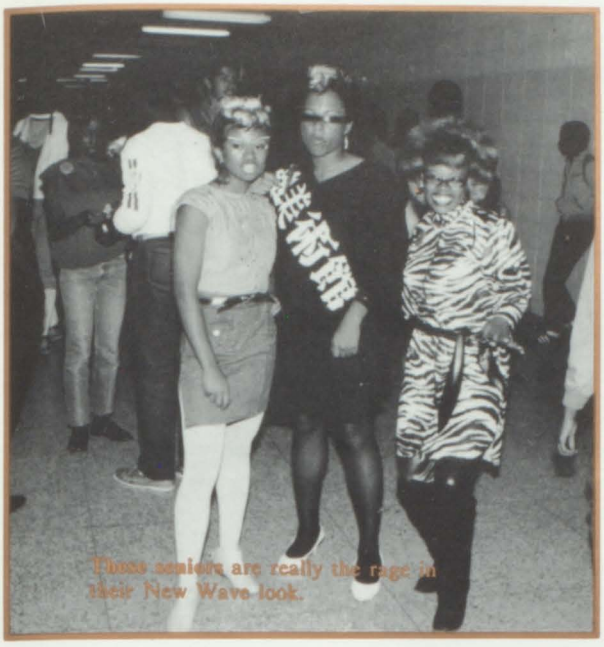
— LaShawn Whiting —



Seniors Barron McClendon and Shelia Cannon make a fashionable couple.



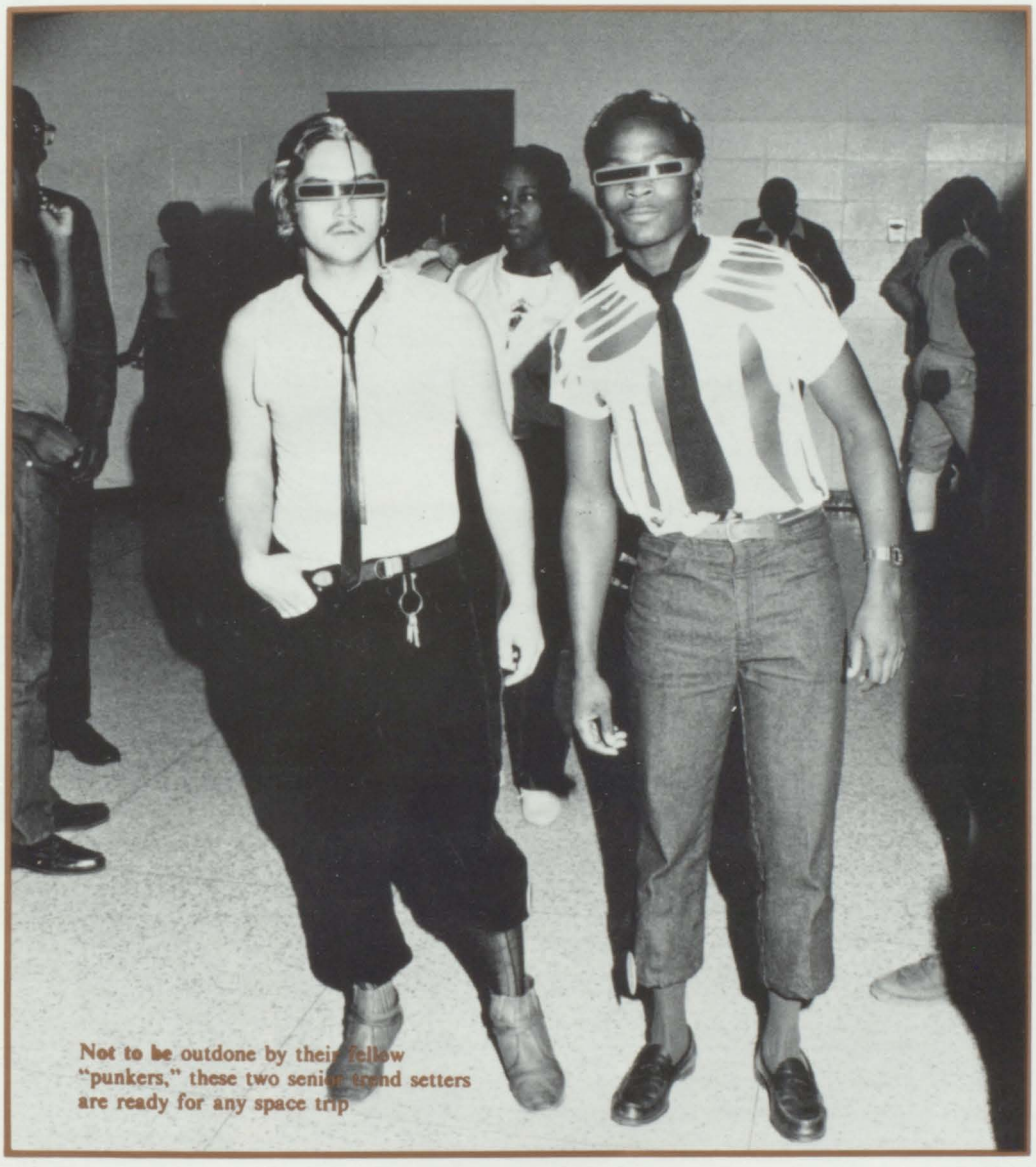
Models Robert Finnell and Natalie Nash, seniors, are trend setters — fashions right out of *Flashdance.*



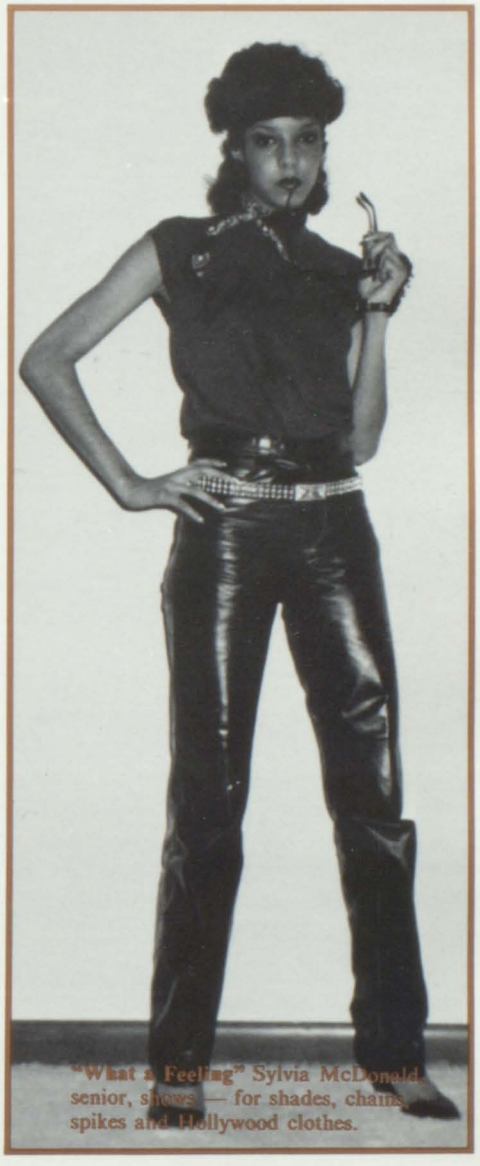
Those seniors are really the rage in their New Wave look.



Looking futuristic indeed, these QB senior staffers rate in their far-out interpretations of New Wave.



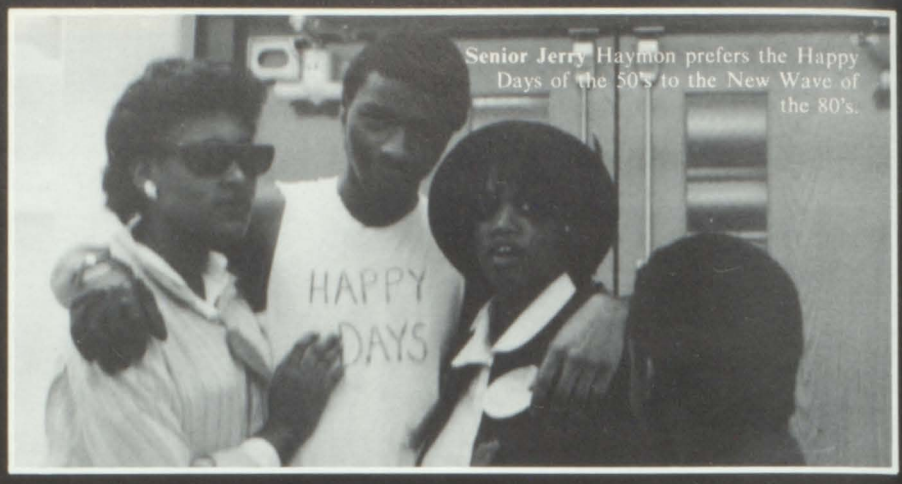
Not to be outdone by their fellow "punkers," these two senior trend setters are ready for any space trip



"What a Feeling" Sylvia McDonald, senior, shows — for shades, chains, spikes and Hollywood clothes.



Juniors like Charlotte tots again on Kiddie Da



Senior Jerry Haymon prefers the Happy Days of the 50's to the New Wave of the 80's.



Debbie Rios, and the rest of the senior gang seem flattered being called "punkers."

Streaking Toward

Spirits soared in '84! This year's Spirit Week read more like a LW Mardi Gras first.

Each class wore different costumes on different days. Monday, freshmen dressed Western. Tuesday, the sophomores mixed and matched. The juniors shrank into little kiddies again on Wednesday. Then Thursday the seniors punked-out.

According to Mrs. Maxine Ciminillo, coordinator of Spirit Week, the week itself was a frenzy of hiped activity for Student Council members and a ball for everyone else.

Mrs. Ciminillo said, "I thought everything went pretty well. I would have enjoyed seeing all of the students participating however. Lionel Jackson, S.C. President said, "Every Hornet should show he has spirit. And what a crazy way to go!"



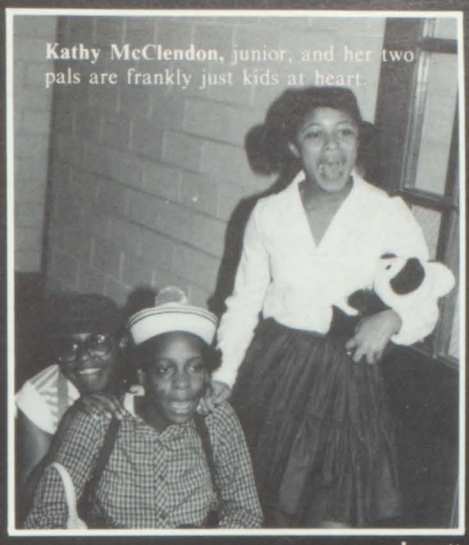
"It was fun and games," added Angie Auguano, senior, "but it was nice to see the seniors dress up for once like they are supposed to."

So, hey, hey, hey! What'll y' say we try to keep this year's **Spark of Excellence** going on the back burner and make things alive in '85!

— Louis White

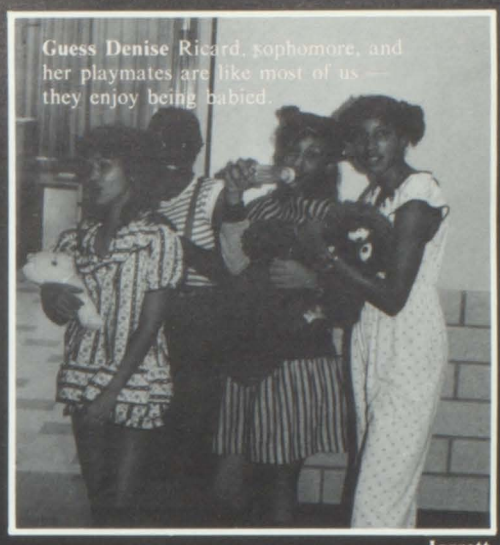


Tamara Boggs and Tena Patrick, seniors, appear in their Spirit Week butterflies.



Kathy McClendon, junior, and her two pals are frankly just kids at heart.

Jarrett



Guess Denise Ricard, sophomore, and her playmates are like most of us — they enjoy being babied.

Jarrett



Punk or New Wave, like Unme Thompson, these senior models have x-appeal.

Spirit



Eyesglasses are d[illegible] for that futuristic look, as se[illegible]

"JOCKETTES!"

What a wild and crazy show was the general consensus of nearly all of the students who attended this year's Quill and Blade's promo show.

Laughter was the feature of the day as football's "Jockettes" bumped and grinded their way down to the auditorium stage.

Hoots and hollars came from everywhere. Clearly, the audience just plain cracked-up!

Buxom, knobby-kneed and muscle-bound female impersonators gagged, danced and sang that day better than ever before. They were the big hits of the year, as the audience just roared some more.

If any stars were born, some certainly had to be Stacy Adams, Mose Carter, George Diaz, Sam King, Derwin Lowe, Donald Robinson, and Lauren Robinson, all senior varsity players.

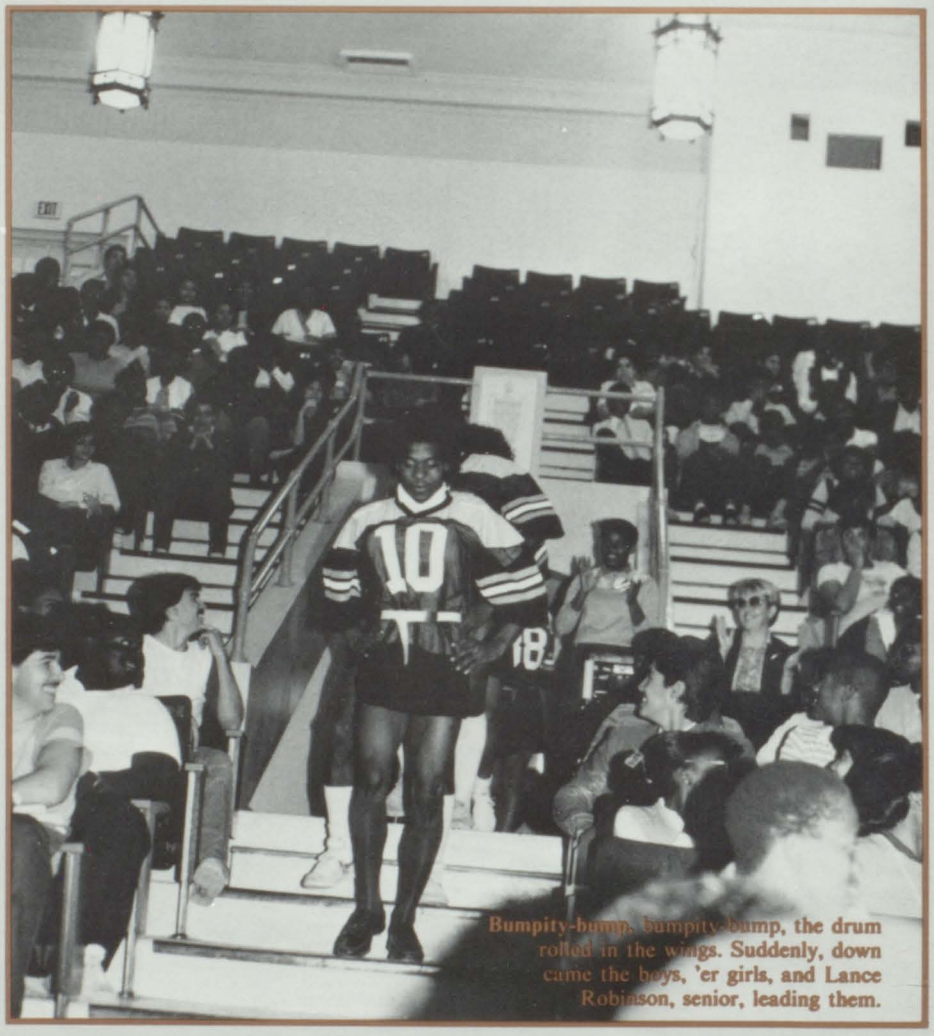
Michelle Adams, sophomore, said, "The promo was a trip!"

Senior staffer Crystal Reese added, "We should have more promos like this every year!"

— Anita Powell —



Senior staffers Bryon Bullock, LaShawn Whiting, and Anthony Palm host QB's annual yearbook kick-off show.



Bumpity-bump, bumpity-bump, the drum rolled in the wings. Suddenly, down came the boys, 'er girls, and Lance Robinson, senior, leading them.













Staffer Angie Auguano, senior, makes her contribution selling pictures and taking yearbook orders.

Lauren Robinson, senior, shows off a great pair of talented knees to the delight of a cheering crowd.

Mose Carter, senior, not be outdone by George Diaz and Derwin Lowe, seniors, does a mean split.

The crowd cracks-up at the hilarious antics of the Jockettes during the show.

Seniors Sam King and Derwin Lowe try to steal the show with their cut-ups.

Featuring the latest contribution to Broadway theatre, the Jockette Chorus Line bump and grind their way to stardom at the QB Promo Show.

National news, in addition to local events, rocketed over the Northwest region in '83-'84. Its falling **Sparks** were felt even in our more mundane lives.

Perhaps one of the biggest news stories of 1984 was the heralding of the **Twenty-third Olympiad** in Los Angeles, California.

Olympic torch bearers had carried their precious fire clear across the country. One interchange had taken place here before our very eyes, afterwards being passed on and on — until former Olympic great Rafer Johnson lit the rings that lit the flame that signaled the official opening of the 1984 Olympic summer games in the good ol' USA.

This year's olympics proved outstanding for those of us who watched them on television. Both opening and closing ceremonies were fantastic, a tribute to Hollywood's magic and ingenuity!

Our athletes often proved inspiring, frequently breaking records and, in fact, winning a total of eighty-four gold medals, topping the Soviet's record in their sweep. Though the Soviet block had pulled out of the games, their non-appearance was thus to our advantage and glory.

Over a two week period, viewers

A Flash





Morales

became acquainted with the names of Olympic greats like Rowdy Gaines and Rick Carey, 400 meter free style relay; Steve Lindquist, 400-meter breast stroke; Tracy Caulkins, 400-individual medley; Nancy Hogshead, 100-meter free style; Alexei Grewal, 190-kilometer cyclist; Connie Carpenter-Phinney, 79-kilometer cyclist; Evander Holyfield, boxing; Mary Lou Retton, gymnastics; Bart Conner, Mitch Gaylor, Peter Vidnar, and Tim Daggett, gymnastics.

Our Hoosier contribution to world competition, the indomitable Bobby Knight, and his dazzling slam-dunk cagers, easily cruising the Chinese team for the Olympic Gold, must not be forgotten also.

Yet, disappointed Gary fans were saddened when their superstar idol **Michael Jackson** and his electric Victory Show did not appear here.

On the brighter side, **De Barge** performed at the Holiday Star. Hailed as the "Best Small Group" at the American Music Awards Ceremony, their smash hit singles include such favorites as "This Will Reveal," "I Like it," and "All This Love."

And lastly, **Cabbage Patch Dolls** were hot during the cold Christmas of '83. It seems eager customers could barely find some, least of all buy one.

of Excitement





Special Olympics are only for special people, persons who usually don't have the opportunity to compete in regular extra-curricular school activities. This year's Special Olympian itinerary was impressive and included both regular and regional tournament bowling, wint r games, basketball dribble shoots, ISU Basketball Tourney, track meets, and District I Track Meet.

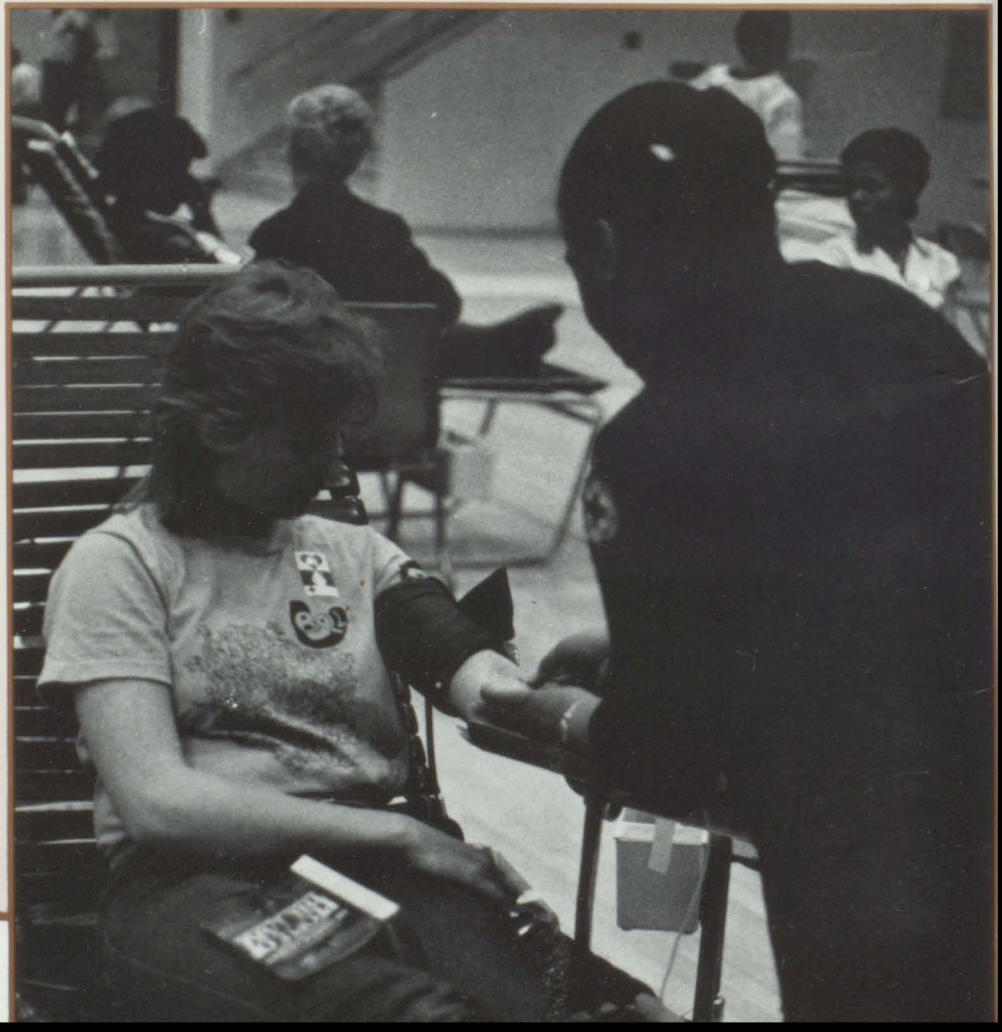
Olympic gold medal winners in Los Angeles could not have been any prouder of their hard won achievements than those who received their prized ribbons in the Special Olympic competition here. Aflred Byndum, senior, basketball and 1600-meter run; David Bryant, junior, pentathlon; Emmet Dixon, basketball and bowling; Willie Faison, senior, pentathlon; David Love, 25-meter crutch race; Paige Smith, senior, 50-meter run; and Rochester Tate, senior, basketball.



Thus these Special Olympic champions, as well as others, left the LW stadium and returned home with joy on their faces, hope in their hearts, and success on their ribbons.

— LaShawn Whiting —

The Red Cross vamped LW once again this year, in search of bodies. Proof of their prickly blood-letting was seen on many an innocent and scarlet-stained arms, like that of Jackie Hue's, senior.



FEATURES

Kathy Webb selected for trip to Chile

Says little comparison with USA



Katherine Webb, LW senior, has been selected by the Rotary Club, a businessmen's service organization, to journey to Chile for three months during the summer of '83. Katherine's selection was to be the only one from Indiana out of a group of nineteen.

Once in Chile, Kathy had the opportunity to stay with six families. "Some of the families treated me with great warmth and familiarity, while others were more formal," she recalled.

While in Chile, Kathy had attended an all girls' Catholic school. "We had to wear uniforms and had to go to school from 8 AM to 6 PM, unlike most Americans. We, also, had to take thirteen subjects that were all in Spanish."

"Chile is a land of contrasts," Kathy thought. "The more affluent have all of the various modern conveniences like VCR's and video games. But there are many people whose only means of transportation are still horse-drawn carts and who live in shacks.

"The further south you go, the colder the weather gets, and everywhere you look in Chile, you are able to see the Andies Mountains."

"Maybe the worst part of the whole trip was when I first left home," Kathy mused. "All of my family, friends, and teachers came to see me off. It was really a sad scene and I was homesick before I even got off the groun," she laughed.

— Angie Auguano —



"Since Santa Marta didn't have its own school band, it was necessary to borrow one from a neighboring district whenever the girls went on parade," said Kathy Webb, senior.

Kathy Webb, and her school mates from Santa Marta Catholic School march down the main street of Coquimbo, Chile.

PROM Spotlights

Beautiful young ladies and fashionable young gentlemen: handsome figures in silken taffeta, delicate lace, and billowy crinoline; in formal tails, patent shoes, and French boutonnieres — seventy-three elegant couples in all attended "Nite to Remember" at the Marquette Park pavillon.

They nibbled on delec tabl hor d'oeuvres an effervescent punc garnished the refresh ment table.

They clasped poloroid button and dainty wine glasses among th carnations and the roses.

There stylish couples danced and whirled and after the Grand March, went their variou ways.

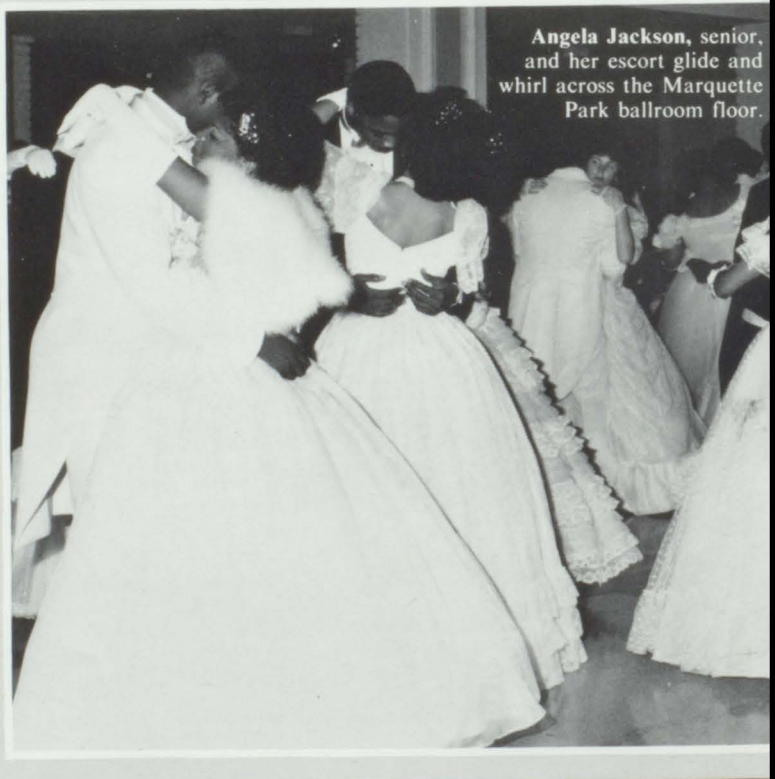
Later, it was said that Mrs. Maxine Ciminillo, Student Council sponsor, had graciously stood-in for Mrs. Lon Utley as prom sponsor. And that both Roderick Frazier's and Carlita Elston's performances at the microphone had been first class.



Romantically, Greg Navarro, senior dances with his date.



Rodney Brown, junior, and Alisa Mosley, senior



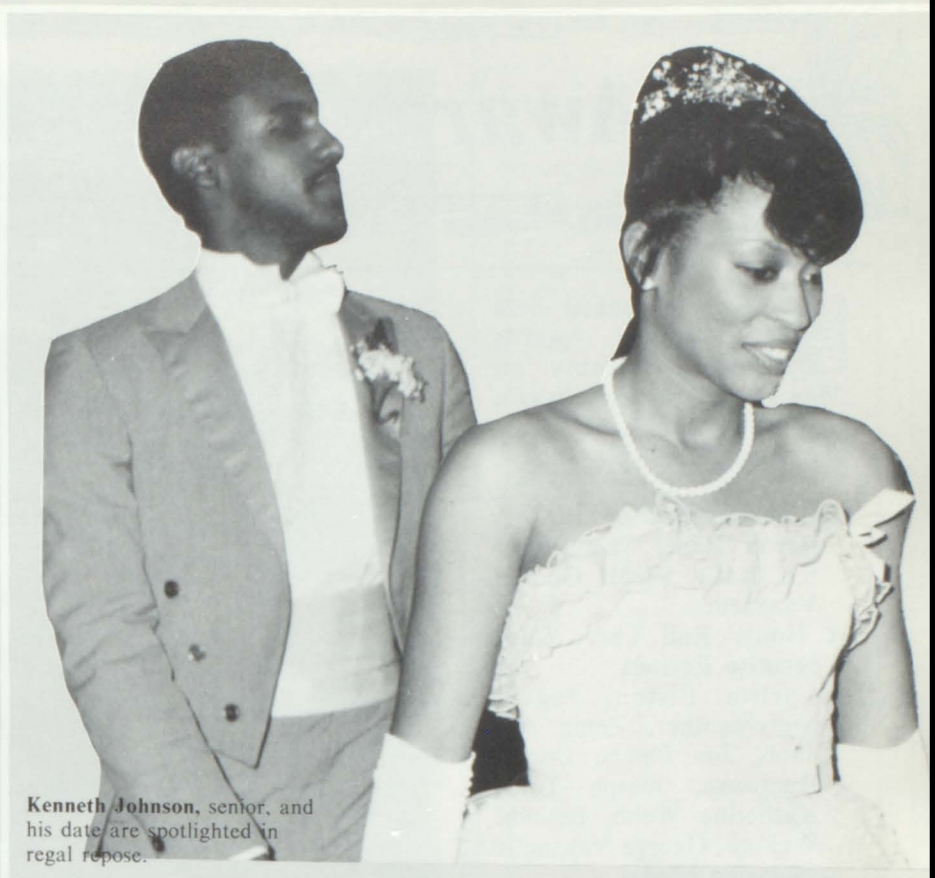
Angela Jackson, senior, and her escort glide and whirl across the Marquette Park ballroom floor.



Tracy Collins, junior, and Robin Haywood '83 graduate, socialize amid congenial company.



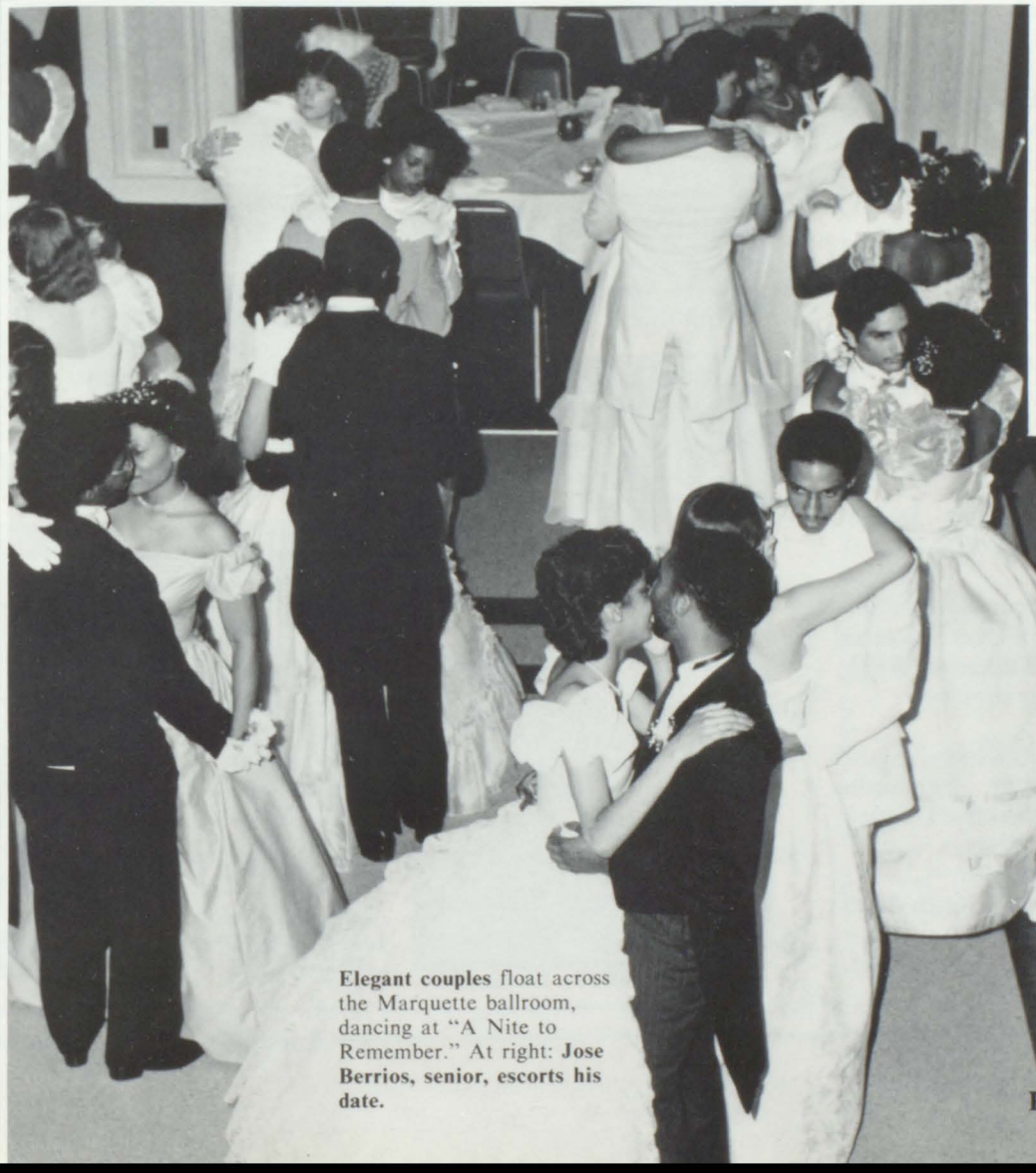
Barron McCledendon, senior, and his date trip to the DJ's mood music.



Kenneth Johnson, senior, and his date are spotlighted in regal repose.



anda Fairow, senior, models
r the Root cameraman.



Elegant couples float across the Marquette ballroom, dancing at "A Nite to Remember." At right: **Jose Berrios, senior, escorts his date.**



Awards spur achievement

Student Council held its annual Awards Day Assembly on May 17. The occasion was a time of reckoning. The hour was memorable.



Academic Superbowl
Bryon Garner, Sheila Horton, Kathy Webb, George Vazanellis

A Honor Roll Three Consecutive Periods
Carlita Elston, Ingrid Merriweather, Zenia Nichols, Jon Peters, Donna Ruzbasan, Joseph Toro, Katherine Webb, Belinda Wellons, George Vazanelis

Accounting Medal
Charlotte Parker

Audio Visual
Samuel Cruz

Art
Rafael Hernandez, Eli Kajmakoski, Donna Popovic

Bausch and Lomb
George Vazanellis

Gerald E. Bunch Memorial
Derwin Lowe

Mary Cheever
Ingrid Merriweather

Computer Math
Robert Trajkovski

DAR Good Citizenship
Donna Ruzbasan

Drama
Jerry Haymon, Derwin Lowe, Selena Waldon

English
John Dusard, Marko Johnson, Latoria Lynch, Keshia Reshada, Katherine Webb, Nicole Woodfaulk

French
Victoria McKinley, Ingrid Merriweather, Samantha Robinson, Sharon Thigpen, Belinda Wellons

Freshman Courtesy
Harold Jones, Keith Mott

Home Economics
Kimberly Davis, Carla Jackson, Michelle Johnson, Angela Stewart

Industrial Arts
Joseph Bodo, Curtis Ma-Gee

Journalism
Angela Auguano, Larry Moore, Charlotte Parker, T.J. Wilusz

Library
Nicole Browne, Fred Evans

Mathamatics
Krica Davis

John Minarich
Donald Robinson

Most Valuable Staffer
Angela Auguano

National Athletic Scholars
Donna Ruzbasan, Joseph Toro

Office Procedures
Johnetta Barnes, Quanica Ellis

Performing Arts
Janice Galloway, Leonard Williams

Quill and Scroll
Angela Auguano, Shirelle Chew, Dorothy Djordjevich, Lisa Manuel, Johnetta McBrice, Terry Molloy, Keith Mott, Anthony Palm, Charlotte Parker, Maggie Shapley, LaShawn Whiting, T.J. Wilusz

ROTC
Cheryl Coops, Kimberly Donald, Bryan Harris, John Jamka, Donya King, Dwayne Robinson

Salutatorian
Ingrid Merriweather

Science
Isham Bennett, Jose Berrios, Alana Cannon, Joseph Toro

President's Academic Fitness
John Bono, Cherise Drake, Angela Jackson, Kenneth Johnson, Bonita Kimp, Rebecca King, LaShawn Lowe, Donna Ruzbasan, *Top Ten Seniors, Adrian Byrd (Honorary), Brian Lopez (Honorary)

Semper Fidelis
Janice Galloway

Shorthand
Josefina Magana

Spanish
Jewell Barnett, Levette Muniz, Agnes Peterson, Sherita Smith, Lisa Torres, Katherine Webb, Angela Wilbon

Special Services
Edwin Carreno, Michelle Davis, Lucy Feliciano, Tracey Ross, Vernon Royster, Rochester Tate

Sportsmanship
Eric Newman

Student Council Leadership
Roderick Frazier, Eric Newman

Student Council Officers
Roderick Frazier, Eric Newman, Linda Riley

Student Council Service
Byron Garner, Sherita Smith, Daryl Randolph

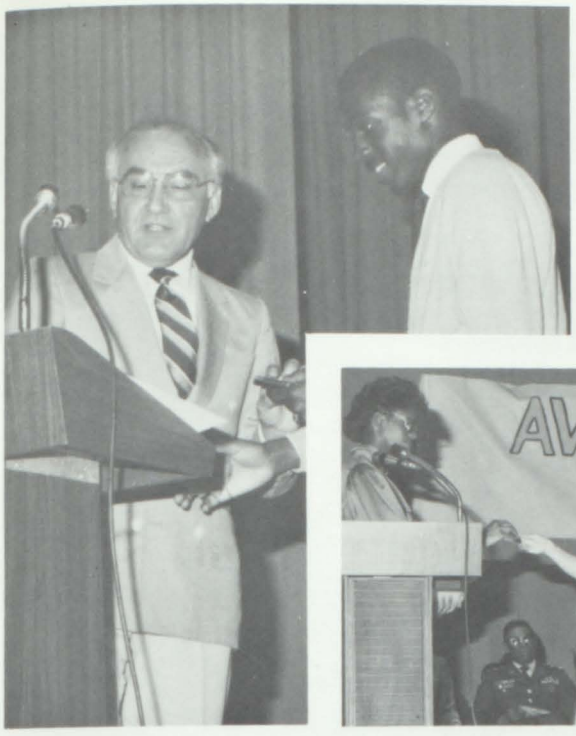
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Typing
Dionne Gamble, Latoria Lynch, Josefina Magana, Donna Ruzbasan, Carla Shephard, Belinda Wellons

U.S. Marine Devil Dog
Paula Johnson

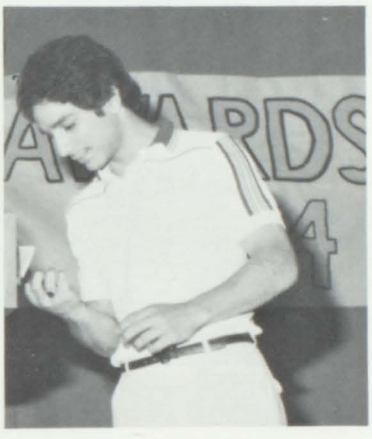
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Robert Trajkovski, Katherine Webb

Verna Hoke Memorial
Byron Garner











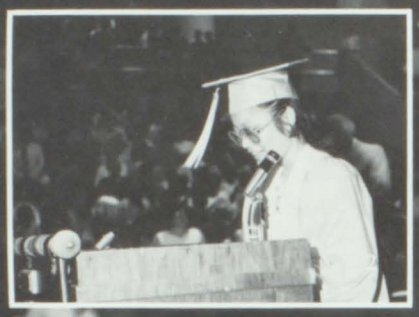


" . . . But to few men comes the gift of excellence."

Viola

Seniors Make It











For the last time they crossed the upper gym balcony and paraded down the side stairs to their expectant places. The horn section of Mr. Chilson's Concert Band resounded the "Pomp" that guided their assured footsteps to the stage set below. The band's musical cadences carried them swiftly past the admiring throngs, like so many classes before them.

Gowned in their shiny robes and tasseled mortarboards and made-up with certain pride and unsure smiles, they lined-up row-by-row and stood at ungainly attention. Most bowed their heads as Unme Thompson, senior class vice president, gave the invocation.

They sat, for the most part primped and proper, as the official program flickered before them: Miss Gray's Advanced Ensemble religiously sang "The Lamb" and "God is My Shepherd." Reverend Phillips gave the Baccalaureate Address. Ingrid Merriweather, the salutatorian, spoke of "... Past ... Beginning"; Robert Trajovski and Katherine Webb, valedictorians, of "Reflections ..." and of "... The Stars."

They arose, their foreheads flushed and beaded, undaunted by the broil of the school gymnasium, and politely listened as Principal Christ Christoff presented their class.

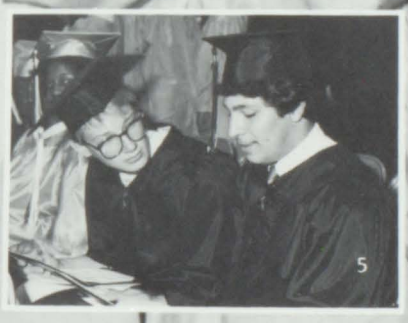
Suddenly, their diplomas were in their hands and hats were airbound. Amid cheers, tears, and roses, this bunch of surviving seniors had somehow made it!







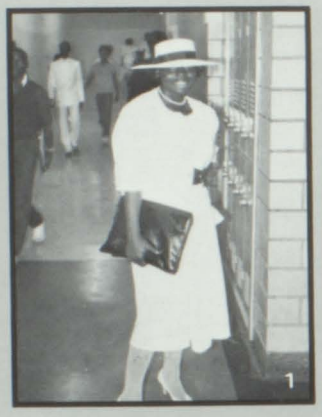




Pictured at top of page 22, these seniors made it. 1. Ingrid Merriweather, salutatorian, leads in graduates. 2. LaShawn Lowe, Johnitta McBride, Sylvia McDonald, and John Bono stand politely while senior classmates march into Polk Gym. 3. Unme Thompson, Senior Honor Society member, presents class Invocation. 4. Shelia Cannon receives her diploma from Mr. Clarence Currie, member of school board. 5. Principle Christ Christoff presents the Class of 1984. **Pictured at top left** 1. Katherine Webb, co-valedictorian, receives her diploma from School Board Member Currie. 2. Robert Trajkowski, co-valedictorian, receives his diploma. 3. Brian Lopez gets a standing ovation as Currie presents him his diploma. **Below,** 4. Shelia Horton, Angela Jackson, and Kenneth Johnson wait patiently as their classmates come forward to receive their diplomas. 5. Chris Berio and Jose Berrios admire four years of hard labor.

SENIORS SHOWBOAT

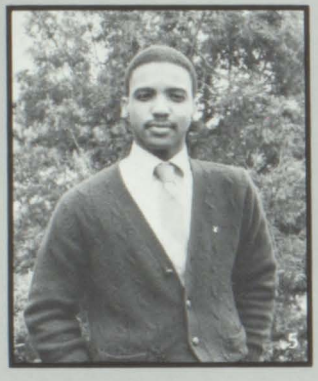
Seniors like to dress-up for special occasions, to showboat so to speak, once in awhile. For example, Senior Dress-up Week is one such occasion. From top, left to right: 1. Likita Fort, 2. Lucy Feliciano, 3. Lisa Manuel and Rhonda Moman, 4. Maurice Antoine 5. Kenneth Johnson, 6. Bryon Garner and Rebecca Cougias, 7. Selena Waldon, and 8. Barron McClendon and Eric Newman.


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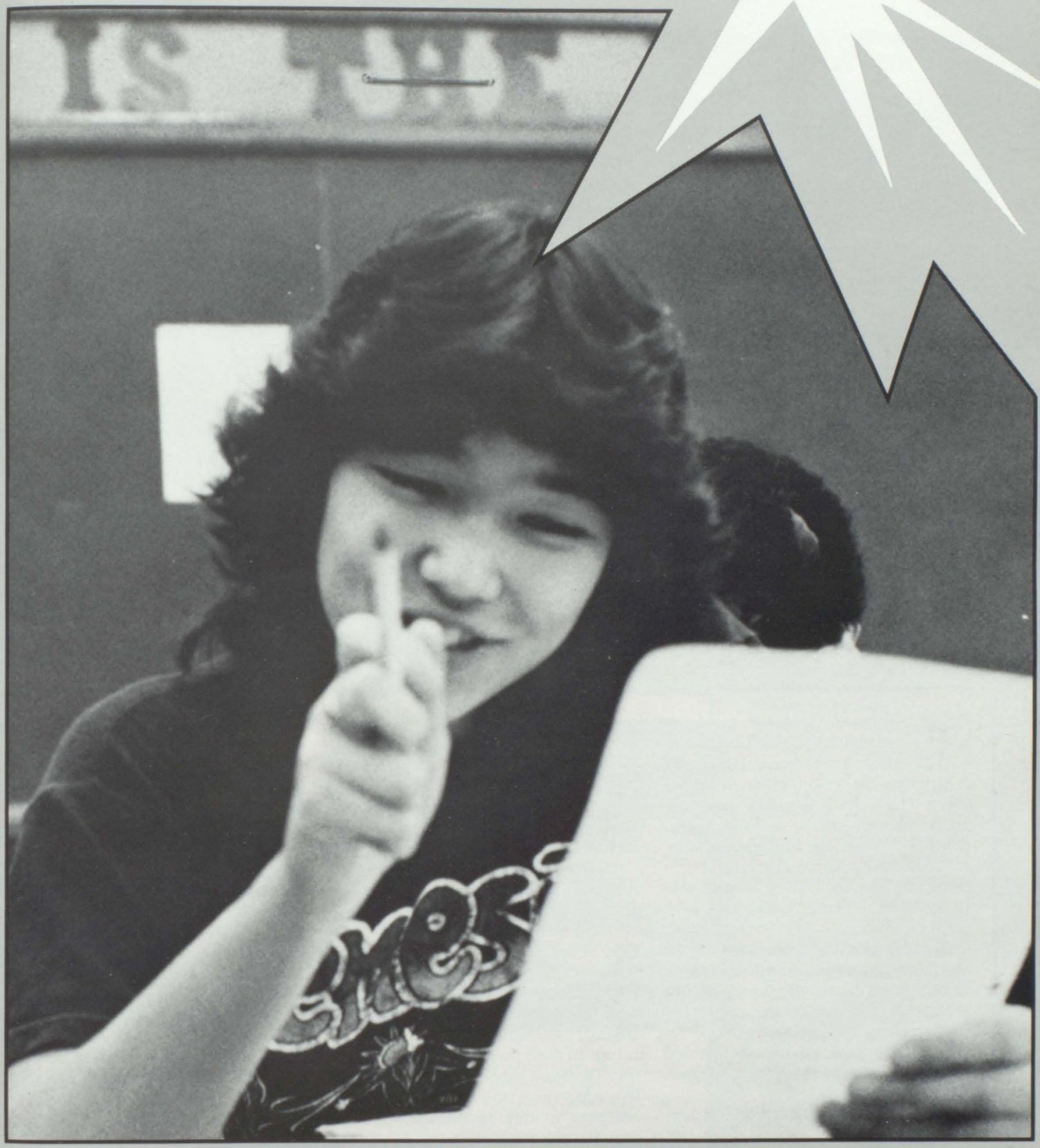
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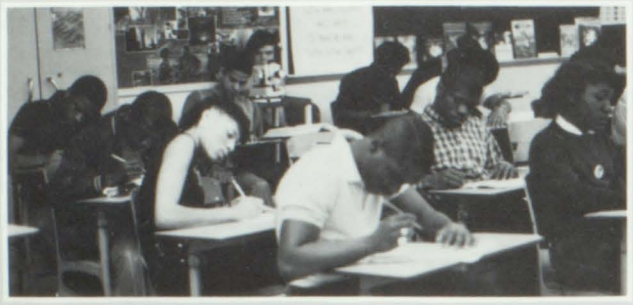

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in Academics



First hour English III students appear engrossed in making their daily entries in their ***Writers' Notebooks.*** Juniors in Janet Sefton's first period really went wild over this Lilly project. One junior, especially, Patrick Mills, turned-in nearly fifteen pounds of extra credit.

Specially trained Lilly Grant writing teacher Eleanor Daily confers with Erina Hornak and Steven Webb, both sophomores, about compositional refinements.





"Fire prevention essay" first place winning plaque is presented to Angela McFall, junior. She wrote "I wonder if the Greek hero Prometheus . . . had insights . . . would he have stolen the spark . . .?" Angela is one of Clara Williamses' students.



Lilly seeds grass roots writers

Thanks to a generous grant awarded by the Eli Lilly Fountation to Indiana University Northwest, in conjunction with the Gary Community Schools, two specially selected groups of English students at LW — one, juniors taught by Janet Sefton; and the other, freshmen taught by Eleanor Dailey — were able to lay claim to being "born again writers."

Because of Lilly's concern with the alarming downward trend of writing skills among high schoolers, the two groups of LW students, and other similar Gary high school groups, received innovative, intense, and guided writing instruction from these specially trained teachers.

Both teachers had been selected by Principal Christ Christoff to attend the Lilly Workshop at IUN over the summer. The implied educational philosophy of the workshop was that if the writing proficiency of the high school teachers would be increased, then perhaps the writing of the students could be improved as well.

During the course of their summer labors, both Mrs. Sefton and Mrs. Dailey listened and spoke to a number of local and national experts in the field. They themselves were required to read the latest research and to write, write, write.

After completion of their college studies, the teachers were expected to return to their home bases and to field test. George Comer, School City English supervisor, and other group leaders were to trek to the various high schools to evaluate first hand the freshly seeded grass roots applications of college level writing theories.

Among the outcomes were that Mrs. Sefton's juniors learned a lot about structural linguistics, developmental paragraphing, thesis writing, and writing the Junior Research Paper.

Another outcome was that English students simply went wild writing in their ***Writers' Notebooks.*** One student, in particular, Patrick Mills, junior, got so carried away by all of the extra credit he was earning that he decided to try for the ***Guiness Book of Records.*** In any case, Mrs. Sefton said, "I don't know whether he made it or not, but fifteen pounds is a lot of notebook!"

Mulling over a moot point in his writing, Roderick Frazier's junior English teacher Clara Williams and Rod review his work.

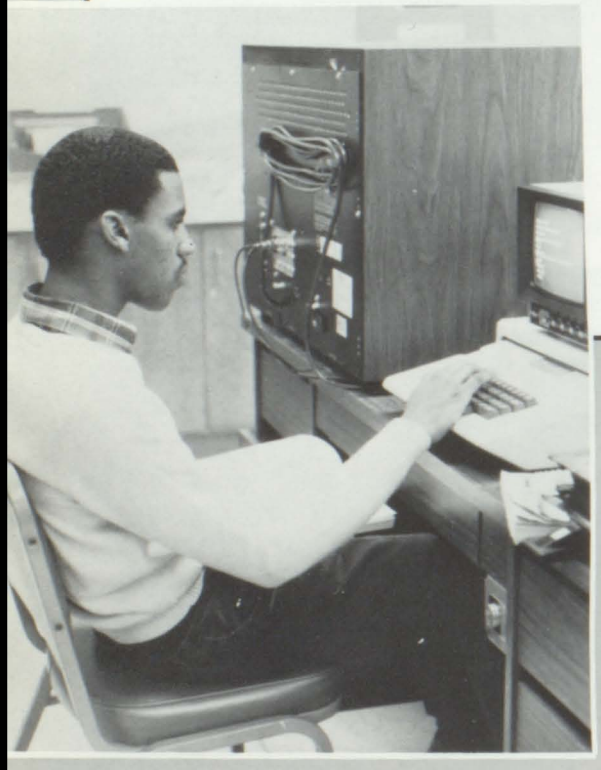


Absorbed in her own creative juices, Dr. Mary Veeder, ***Post Tribune*** movie critic and IUN professor, pens some of her personal thoughts during a Lilly Workshop Meeting, held in the IUN Writing Lab.



Typing with just two fingers, Lydia Lackey, junior, pecks away at the final draft of her Junior Research Paper due in Sefton's. By the way, Lydia got an "A."







Kenneth Johnson, senior, is impressed with the storage bytes of him computer.

Experimenting with potentially risky chemical solutions in chem lab is the name of the game for Ingrid Powell, junior, and science classmate.

Jose Berrios, "Orange Peel" Winner!

Senior science scholar **Jose Berrios,** student of **David Schoon, Stanley Keller,** and **Ms. Yolanda Hall,** science teachers, related, "My grandfather told me once that during WWII, he had used a liquid from an orange peel to run his car."

This remembered childhood story set the stage for an idea which, in turn, triggered research into the basic character of the lowly orange peel.

What began with the simple hand squeezing of the orange peel's juice soon graduated to liquifying the peel in a blender, to separating the peel's emulsions with sodium bicarbonate and eventually to conducting IR absorption spectrum and TLC chromatography testing in Iowa State University's chemistry lab.

Berrios found five compounds that are combustible in the orange peel oil. At the conclusion of his research, he determined that the self-same could possibly be used as a fuel source as well.

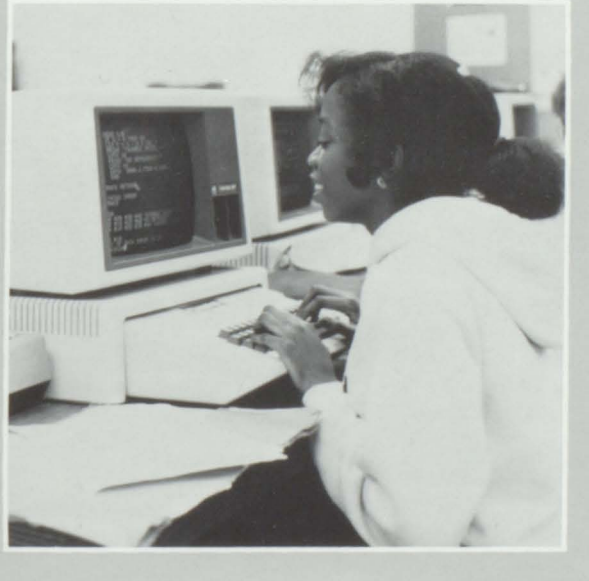
And for his impressive scientific research and paper, Jose Berrios emerged looking like a science winner.

❑ reported by **David Schoon**



At left, three students of Stanley Keller, chemistry and physics teacher, learn through their lab work that experimentation and analysis are critical components scientific advancement. Working with scales and beakers is Daryl Randolph, senior; Kecia Mark, junior; and Angela Black, senior.





Literally the brains behind advancing computer programs at LW, Olive Leskow, math teacher, scrutinizes one of her computer printouts.

Checking out the high tech accuracy of the computer's memory banks, Chioma Echemuna, junior, runs through her program

Science teacher Sarah Boyajian offers some assistance to one of her dedicated students.

Gary's Rhodes Scholar tells experiences

Black Rhodes Scholar Carlton Long, a born and raised native son, visited LW on at least two occasions. Long spoke to both large group audiences and selected individual classes as well. In photo at right, he is shown talking to students in Janet Sefton's English III high class.

Long, a Gary Wirt graduate, who recently won the Rhodes Scholarship, affably spoke about a number of personal high school experiences that taught him valuable lessons. One such experience that seemed to thoroughly impress the student audience was when he received a "D" grade for a course, to the surprise of many. But Long said not to let periodic bad grades distract or discourage them from achieving their goals, because everyone has his bad times, as well as good, but to keep on pushing until they got what they wanted.

Long went on to relate interesting tidbits about Oxford, England's style of education and how it differed from his Gary school experience. One week after he had won the scholarship, he was expected to choose a college from which to pursue his studies.

He said, at first, Oxford seemed unorganized. Yet, this taught him to be self-reliant, for it was his responsibility to ask professors if he could study with them. Also, instead of attending classes, Oxford scholars had tutors who require weekly essays on different subjects. Furthermore, students were required to prepare written arguments on given subjects. And although there were no grades given, there was a single examination at the end of two years over "everything we've learned."

The Rhodes Scholarship, he said, was originally initiated by an Englishmen who found his fortune and fame in the diamond mines of South Africa. It usually covered the cost of tuition and included a stipend from which students had to pay for their board and lodging. "Having enough money is always a problem among scholars," he admitted.

Frequently, in fact, American Rhodes Scholars must return to the States in the summer to work and to save money for the following year; and this is unfortunate because they often missed the opportunity to travel abroad to some pretty exotic places.

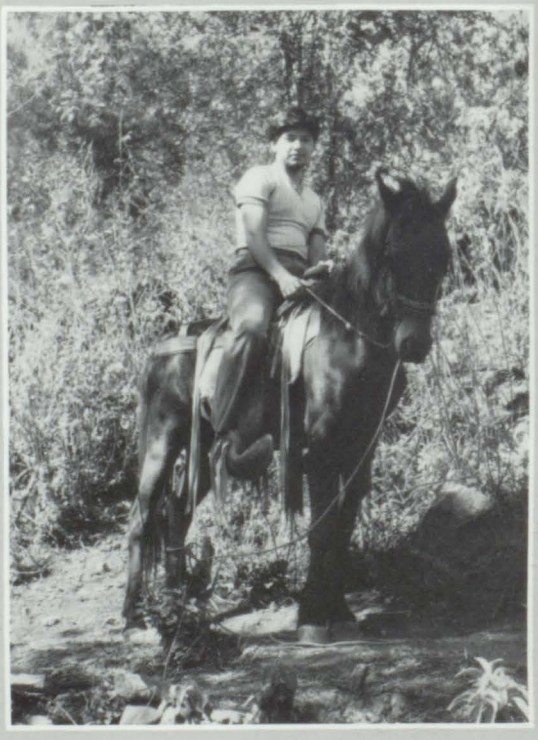
Completing his talk to the students, Long was eager to entertain a give and take question session from the audience who in turn seemed to appreciate his candor, warmth, and personalized approach.

❑ by **Jass**

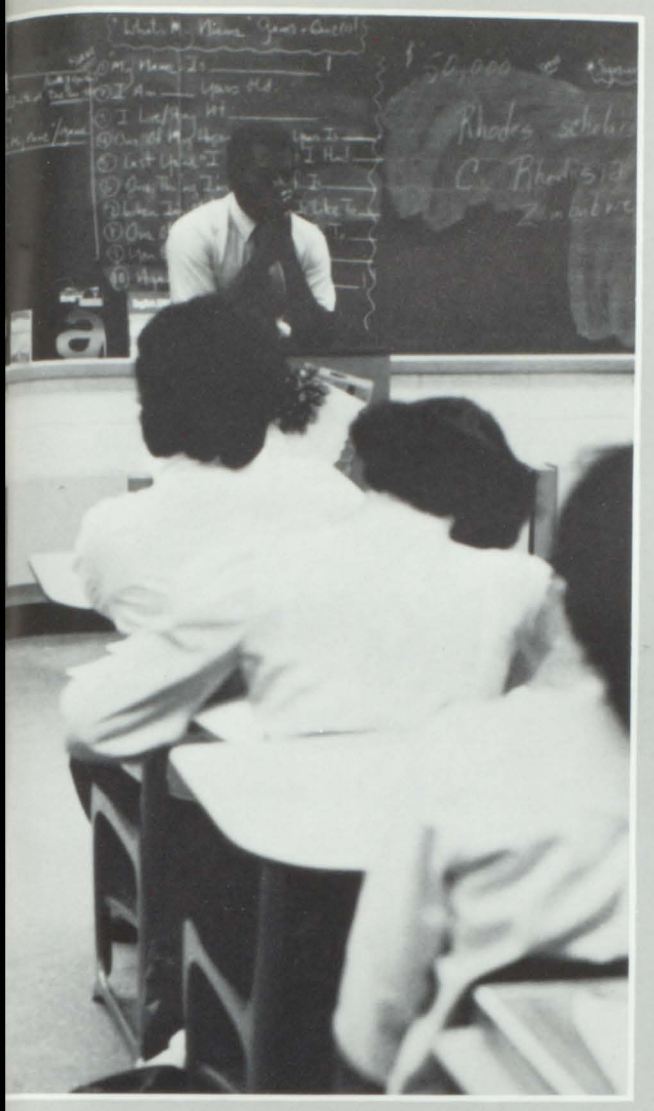
March 23, 1984, Nora Pulido, junior, and seven members of her family were finally on their way to visit Mexico. Staying with relatives throughout their trip, Nora and her brother Edwardo, pictured on horse, **Below** at right, visited their Grandfather and places like Guadalajara, Juarez, Mexico City, and Acapulco. Nora, expecially, liked learning about her Latin culture's pyramids and temples and, of course, meeting new friends. "One thing," Nora warned, "don't drink the water, lest you be visited by 'Montezuma's Revenge.' "







Every year Madam Mary DeLoach, French teacher, throws a Mardi Gras bash for her French students; and every year they came dressed like in New Orleans.



Below at left, shown helping one of her sophomore Spanish students with her translation is Carmen Justo, Spanish teacher.



Black astronaut urges, "Have the right stuff."

"Having the 'right stuff,'" said Lt. Col. Guion S. Bluford, the first Black astronaut to fly into outerspace, "is a combination of setting career goals and being willing to toil relentlessly until they are achieved."

Dressed in his blue National Aeronautics and Space flight suit, Bluford, whose father was a mechanical engineer, told the captivated audience of nearly 3,000 students at the Genesis Convention Center that he had made-up his mind to become an aerospace engineer as early as junior high school.

He said he got the opportunity to fly the eighth flight of the space shuttle because he had attained the necessary education and had been prepared, taking as much math and science in high school as he could muster.

He urged Gary youths to seek high goals, to excell, to do their best in school work, so that their goals and dreams would come true.

When questioned about the future potential of jobs in space, Bluford said that there would be great numbers of space related jobs for those who are prepared.



Practically employed

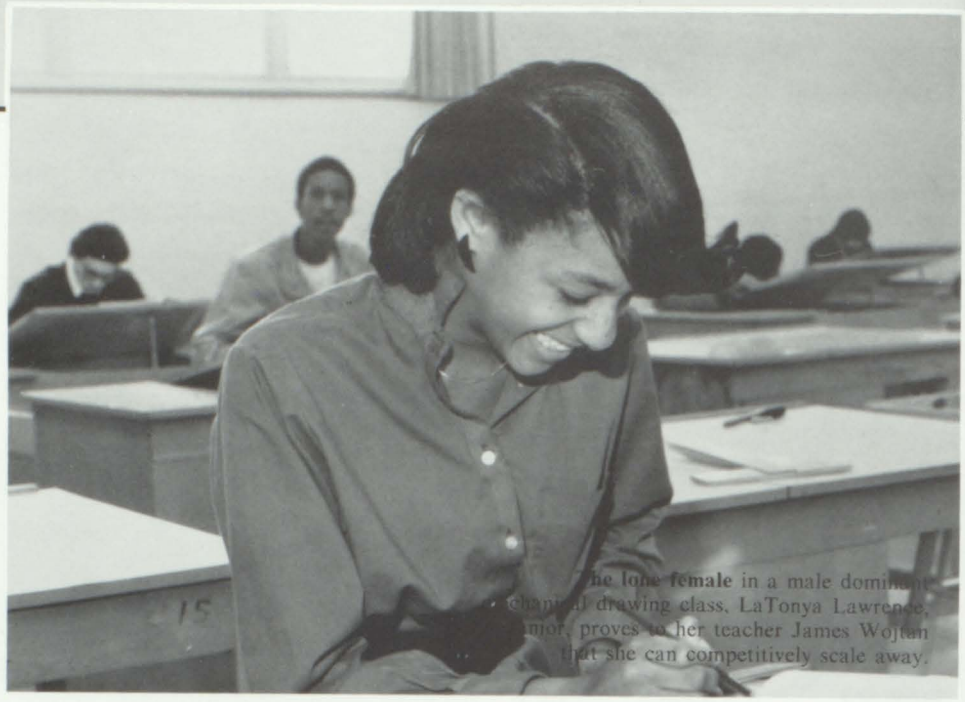
Careers beget winners

LW students who attend the Gary Career Center are winners! After they come to LW to tend to their academics for a half day, then voosch, they're off again to practice their future vocations at the Career Center.

They not only have proven themselves as achievers, because they wouldn't be accepted by the Career Center if they were not, but they also succeed in winning awards in their respective fields of endeavor as well.

This year's Indiana Media Fair winners were Diana Barney, Katrina Brown, Derrick Creal, Melvin Ellison, Sam King, Michelle Lloyd, Bennea Smith, Nikki Smith, and Frankie Spencer, all juniors.

Other Career Center winners included Darice Miller and John Tarbert, both juniors, Health Occupations Association winners; Orlando Borrero, senior, Vocational Industrial Clubs of America winner; Denise Borjan, Leonard Hunt, Linda Schneider, Elizabeth Scott, and Bettie Williams, all juniors and seniors, Office Education Association winners.



The lone female in a male dominated mechanical drawing class, LaTonya Lawrence, junior, proves to her teacher James Wojtan that she can competitively scale away.





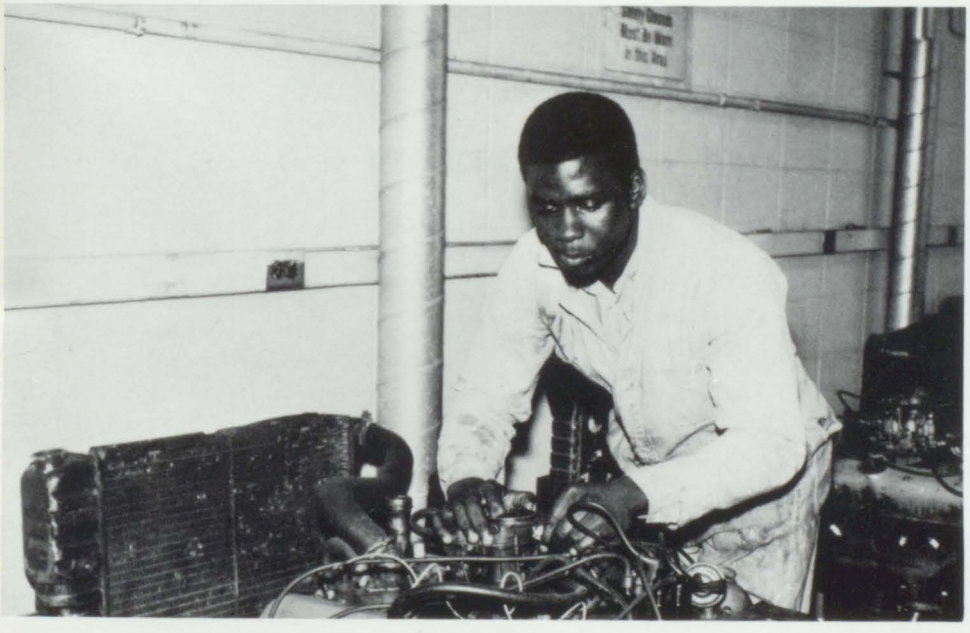
At right, Career Center advocate Debbie Abram, senior, does her accounting on computer. Tanya Bryan, junior, intends to dispell any foolish sexist notion that carpentry is for males only. She can pound and saw away with the best of 'em.

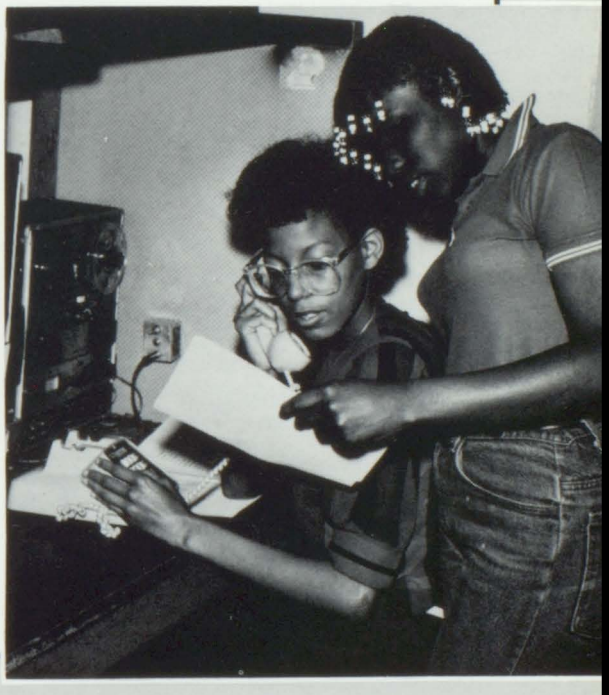


At left, Career Center cosmotology student Larnisha Dortch, senior, practices hair styling on a willing subject.

Below, senior Kenneth Dillon prepares his torch for some hot, close work in his welding class at the Career Center.







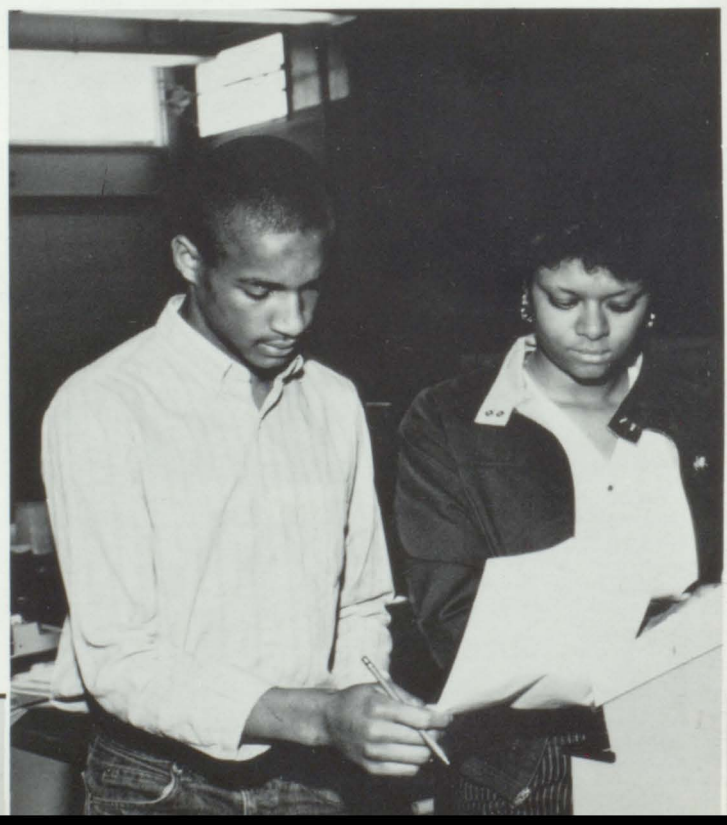
Above, becoming a good mechanic means being able to take apart and put back together engines as William Wilkerson, junior, well knows. **At left,** career center students Michelle Lloyd and Frankie Spencer, both juniors, checkout via telephone some of the info in their broadcasting script.

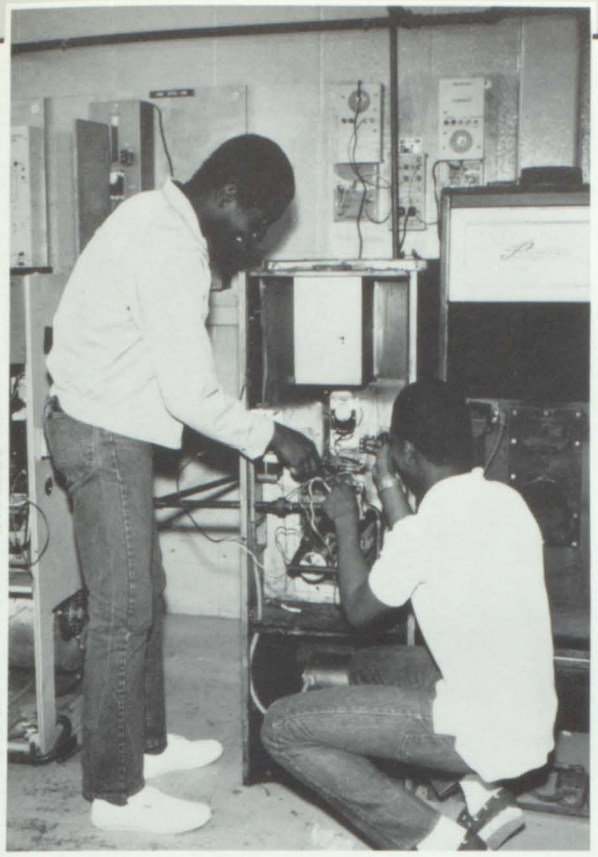
Some LW students attend the Career Center a half day in order to get a head start in their chosen vocational fields. **At right,** LaMar Smith, senior, in power mechanics. **Below,** Denise Borjan, senior, in business. **Dwayne Momon** and Patrice Gates, both seniors, in marketing. **Senior Houston Leek,** in auto mechanics.











Career Center LW students are shown formatively engaged in their future occupations. **At left,** John Tate and James Posey, both seniors, in climate control. **Below,** Antonia Spires and Evette Mohn, seniors, in health occupations. **At bottom,** seniors Parish Cole, Lance Robinson, and Tony Bryan in welding shop.





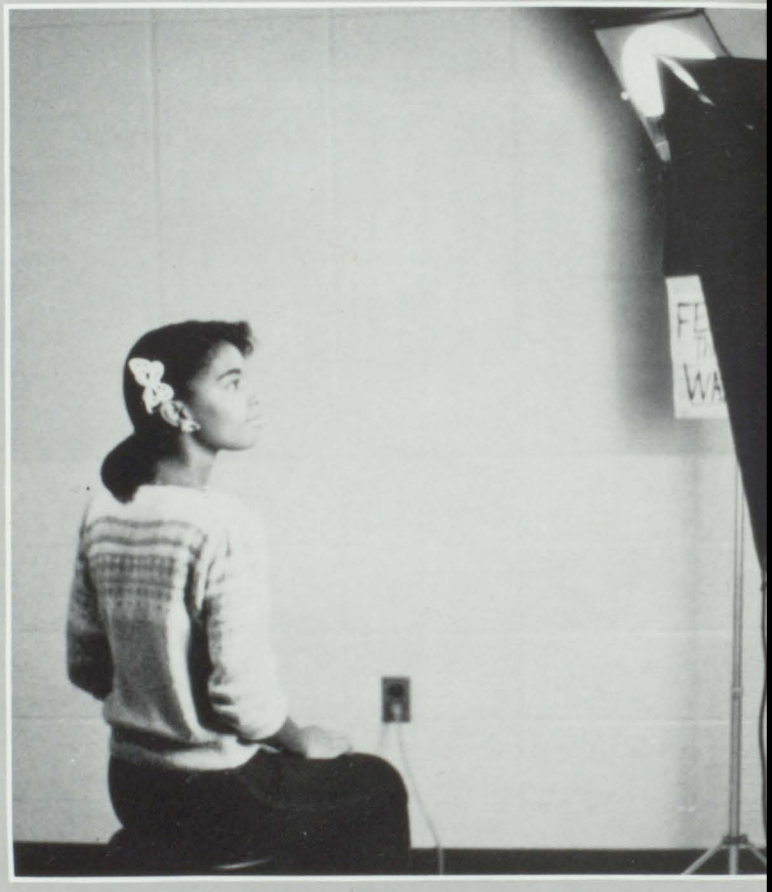
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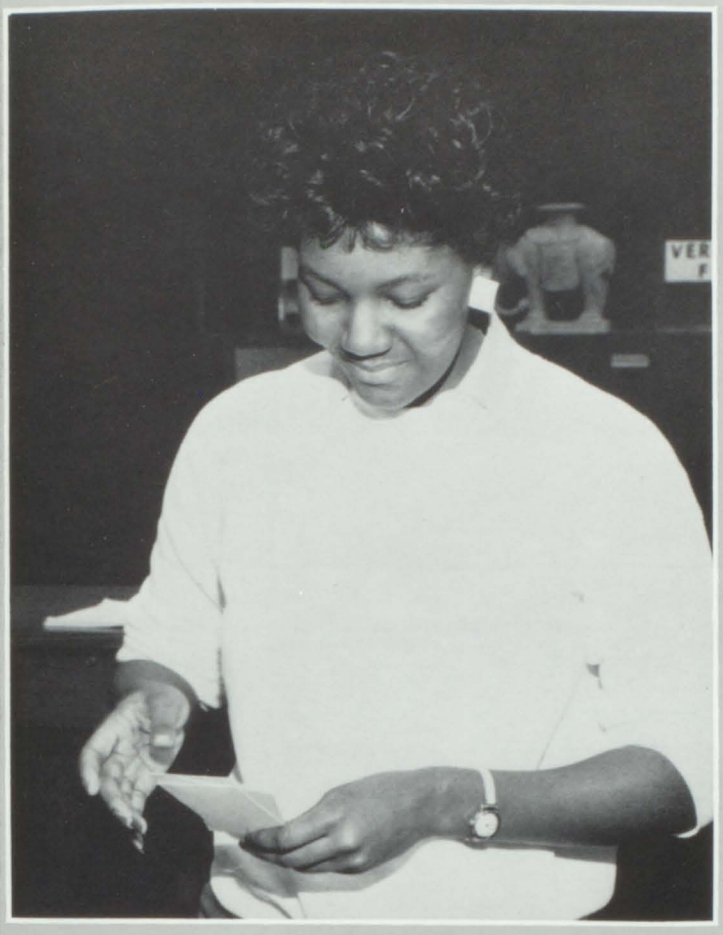


The LW library is a busy, sharing and caring place. It caretakers welcome the help of student assistants like Zenia Nichols, senior. **Library aids** such as Sophie Navarro are always helpful and accommodating to students like Michael Willis, sophomore. **Its inner sanctum** is one of the most pleasant and beautiful spots around, where Vincent Beckwith, sophomore, can find knowledge and a harbor from the turmoil without.



Above, a guidance counselor by day and a head teacher by night, James Taylor, easily maintains a friendly and caring atmosphere for Evening School students, may of whom hail from Highland and other suburban schools.





On opposite page, Presenting his roll of negatives to the critical eye of Pauline Burelli, photography teacher, Charles Salazar, senior and QB photographer, engages in some self-criticism. **Below,** a Root photographer takes the picture of Monique Sanders, sophomore, during an underclass shoot for the yearbook. A more aesthetic caption for this photo of comely Monique might be "Butterflies."









Giving some solid advice to sophomore Wanda Lawson, sophomore, Elmer Molchan's function is that of head guidance counselor by day and head teacher by night. **There he is again,** at the Career Center, standing at the podium next to three graduating LW seniors at Evening School's commencement exercises.

A part of being in ROTC is learning military map skills. Here, Sgt. Bryant Crenshaw instructs a group of junior cadets in its logistics.



Below, Ol' spit and polish and standing straight as an arrow is part of the discipline instilled in Cadet Lita McClendon, sophomore, as she is inspected by Sgt. Carol Hoffman.

ROTC, near perfect at AFI meet

Cadets named "Honor Unit with Distinction"

Recruiting LW cadets for post-graduation military service is an important part of Marine Sgt. Crawford's job. Fraternizing with potential enlistees like Bertha Gipson and Tammy Ham, juniors, and Edward Henry, senior, helps sell the corps to the students too.

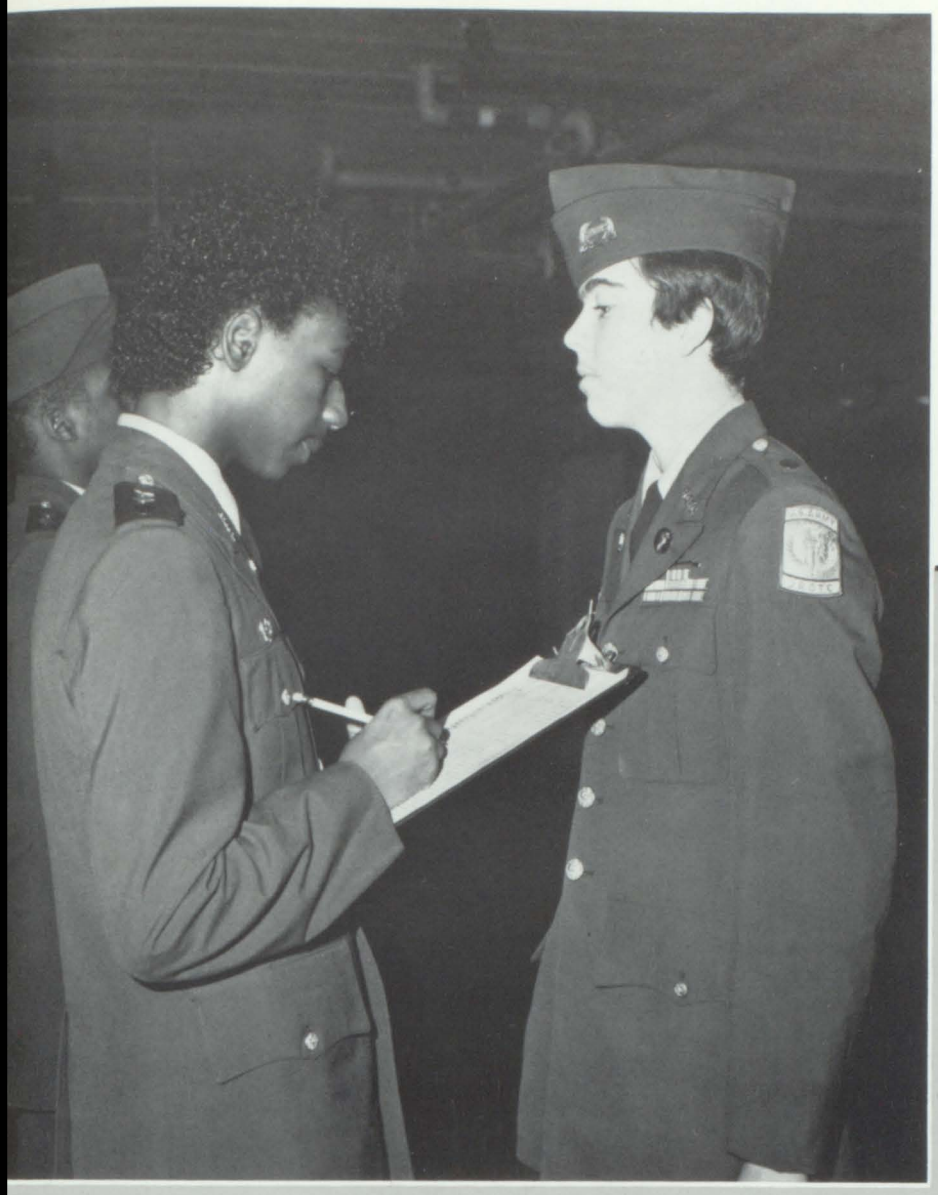


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Leading the lady troops, Angela McFall and Anitra Tarver, both juniors, wait patiently for their turn at the annual AFI.



At left, Cadet Officer Larry Momon, senior, checks off the inspection list during a weekly ROTC inspection as Cadet Terry Molloy, junior, stands at rapt attention. **Below,** the basement of the school proves useful for such as inspection rehearsals, firing ranges, and noontime sock hops, among other things.



Below, Company "A" goes through the rigors of annual inspection at this year's AFI, Armed Forces Inspection, held in the Polk Gym. With the work and leadership of Cadet Commander Kimberly Donald, LW ROTC cadets scored 99.7 out of a possible 100 total points, being named "Honor Unit with Distinction."









West Side High School's auditorium set the theatrical scene for the elaborate production of "The Wiz," in which Rebecca King, senior, and other members of the Gifted and Talented crew performed.



Holding a prize trophy for her singing excellence, Crystal Reese, senior, third from the left, is shown with other winners of the Faster Talent Contest, sponsored by the City of Gary.



GIFTED PERFORM THEIR TALENTS

Star in "The Wiz", Spring Concert, Easter Talent Show



The 1984 Spring Concert was a dramatic musical treat that should have been shared by a larger audience. One act, in particular, that impressed the audience included Deborah Patton and Crystal Reese, seniors; Norman Hairston, junior; Shalonda Broughn, freshman; Alicia Fair, sophomore; and one member of the sextet who is not shown. Becky King, senior, played the keyboard for the group

Perform five
one act plays

Drama I-II, in spotlight

Drama I and II, taught by Linda Mills for the past five years, performed five times this year. Mrs. Mills' drama students wrote, directed, and produced "The Shadow" and "Father Knows Best," two one act plays. "Bittersweet Revenge" and "The Lottery" were two other productions that were performed, as well as a pantomine and an improvisation show.

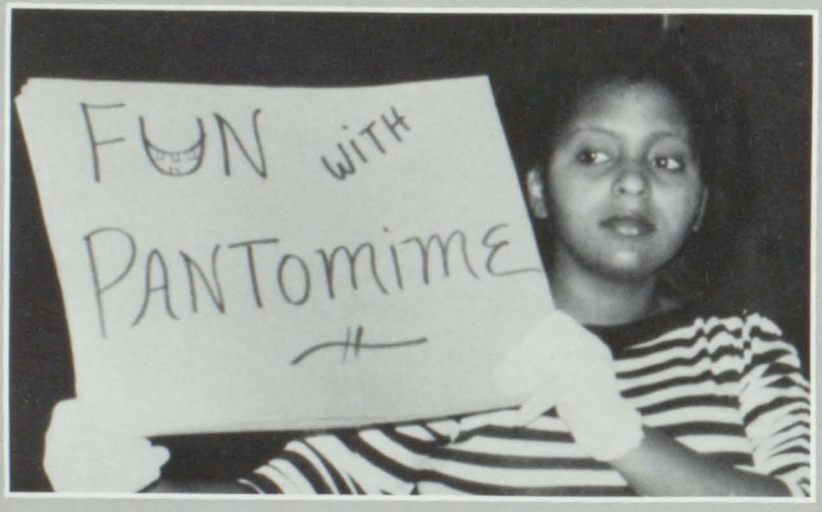
In the plays cited above, the performances of six drama students, in particular, merited the spotlight's luster: Jerry Haymon, Derwin Lowe, and Selena Waldon, seniors: Todd Gibson, junior; and Allison Johnson and Grace Pearson, sophomores.

❑ reported by **Monica Gault**

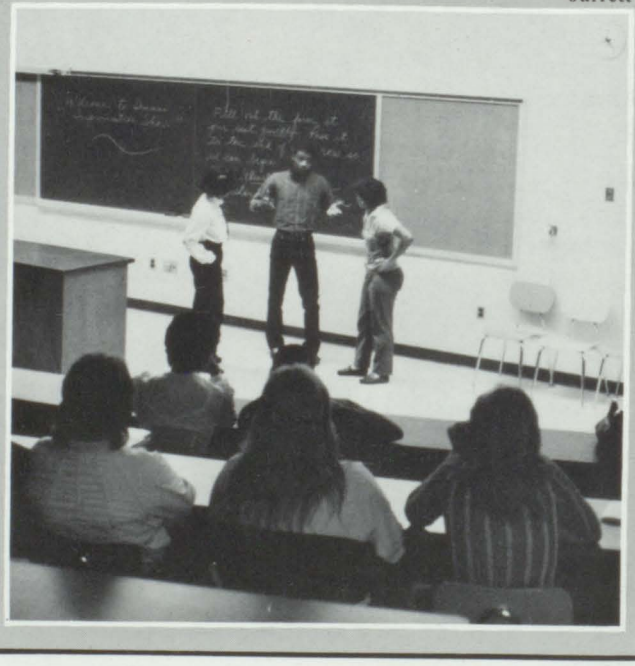


Featured in one of the five one act plays performed by Drama I and II students is actor Derwin Lowe, senior and second year drama student, who played on one occasion an older than life role. Drama teacher Linda Mills is the sparking force behind the stagecraft.

Jarrett



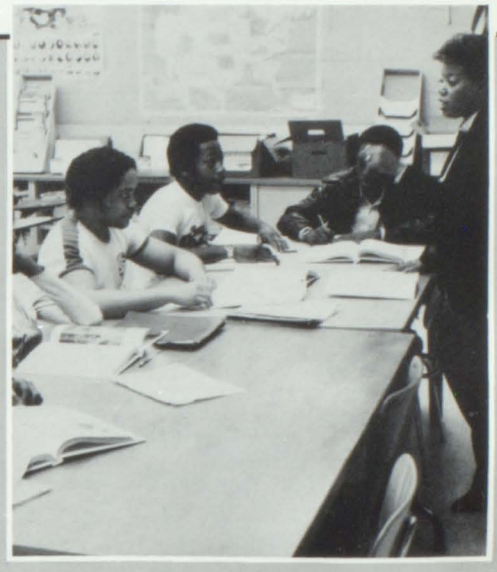
Making ready for the big "sheew," Monica Gault, senior Drama II student, holds up a cue card for the invited members of the audience.



At Drama II's Improvisation Show, budding senior actors Jerry Haymon and Selena Waldon, on right, and frosh Janeen Kimble, on left, entertain some of **the folks,** who came to see them.



Teacher Shelia Eggleston leans over to ponder some score addition during a special education field trip to the Starlite Bowling lanes, an outing in which student volunteers helped make enjoyable.



Five special education students attentively listen to their teacher Hollie Martin explain a history lesson to them. **From left,** Michell Allen, Herman Harris, Aldridge Seay, and Mitchell Griffin.

Volunteers aid handicapped

Student volunteers, who of themselves are highly self-motivated and dedicated persons, proved to be of great assistance to those in the visually impaired and other handicapped programs.

Their abiding interest and loving care helped those less fortunate than themselves to excell, particularly five visually impaired graduating seniors. Three of the five will be going on to college and two will enter Lincoln Institute of Technology in Indianapolis.

Katherine Webb was a senior honor student who volunteered to give-up her lunch hours to tape and record materials for the visually impaired learning lab. Katherine, was, also, instrumental in reading and taping 2,000 printed pages from books, magazines, and periodicals for the special education department.

❑ reported by **Johnitta McBride**



Steve Brown, junior and hearing impaired student, is snapped moments after buying another yearbook. And he isn't even a senior yet. Good for you, Steve.



Visually handicapped teacher Katherine Polster supervises the Braille reading of one of her students in Visual Lab.

Students motivated and dedicated

Big Brother is here!

Will Orwell's vision come true?

Testing — SAT testing — ASVB testing — Basic Proficiency testing — teacher evaluation. Testing, evaluation — control. Has Big Brother come at last? Is he watching us all?

Looking backward, it was during the 30's. An Englishman had written a fanciful story, an imaginative tale, subsequently published as a science-fiction novel, a plot that has enjoyed enduring, popular readership, spanning the decades, ever since. His name was George Orwell. His novel was ***1984.***

Central to the plot of Orwell's book was a totalitarian society, a world of nightmare, where old values and traditions had been systematically destroyed — love, freedom, choice, personal happiness, God. Individualism was dead.

Instead, all things in this futuristic world — media, production, government, and people — were totally controlled by a fearsome central power of evil, in the disguise of a smiling, benevolent Big Brother.

No longer educated, mindless masses of people were indoctrinated by diabolical propaganda, by double-speak, and by mind control.

Violence was the entertainment of the times, fostered as an emotional diversion and promoted as a safety valve for any potential human rebellion.

Even thoughts could be suspect, subversive, and a crime in Oceania. Thus resistance in any form was quickly spuelched and punished by Big Brother.

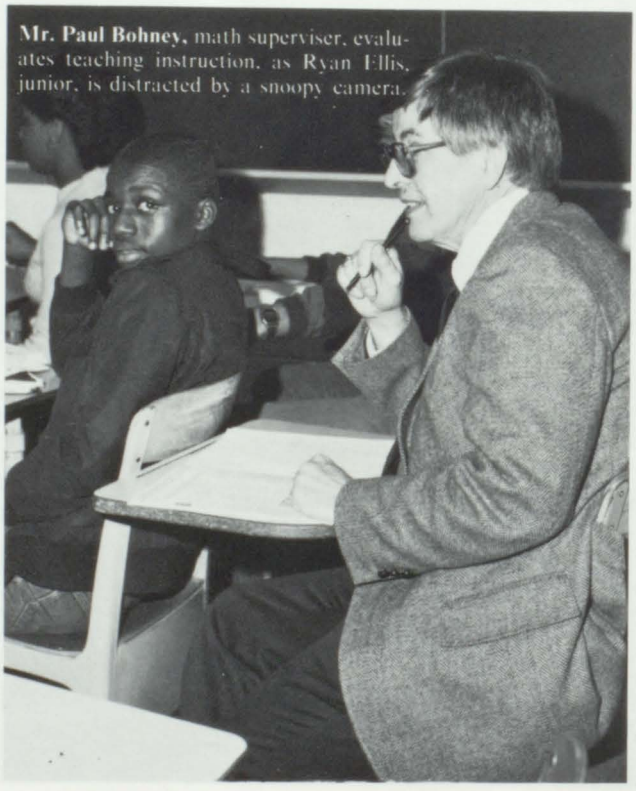
Language itself was fouled and garbled, slicked and stripped of its customary meanings. Good became evil. Evil became good. And as human language became twisted, so, too, human minds.

Media propaganda eventually came to replace the thoughts in books and of literary giants. And not only did the dutiful proles watch television, but its cameras also watched them.

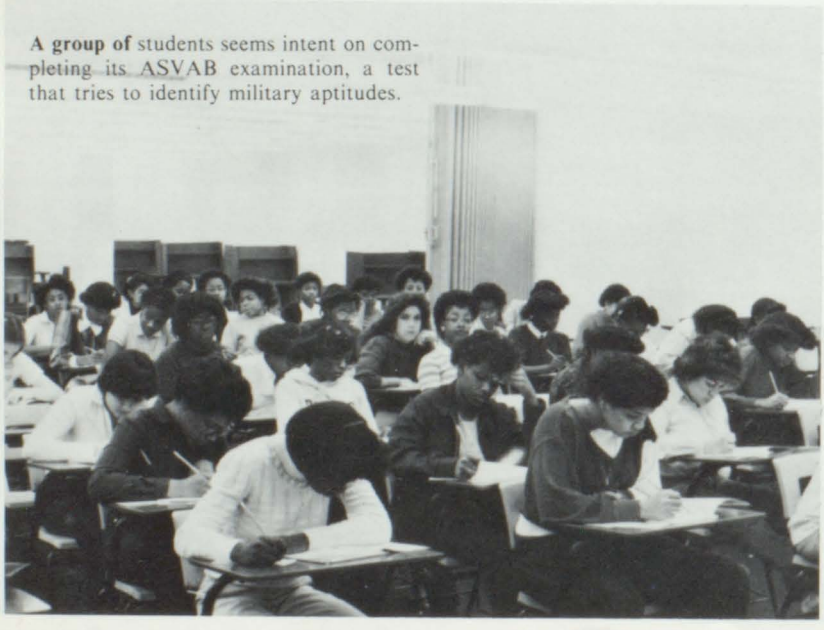
And in the end, Big Brother's progressive systems and watch dogs turned into a malignant and "evil empire."

George Orwell, so, how could you know?



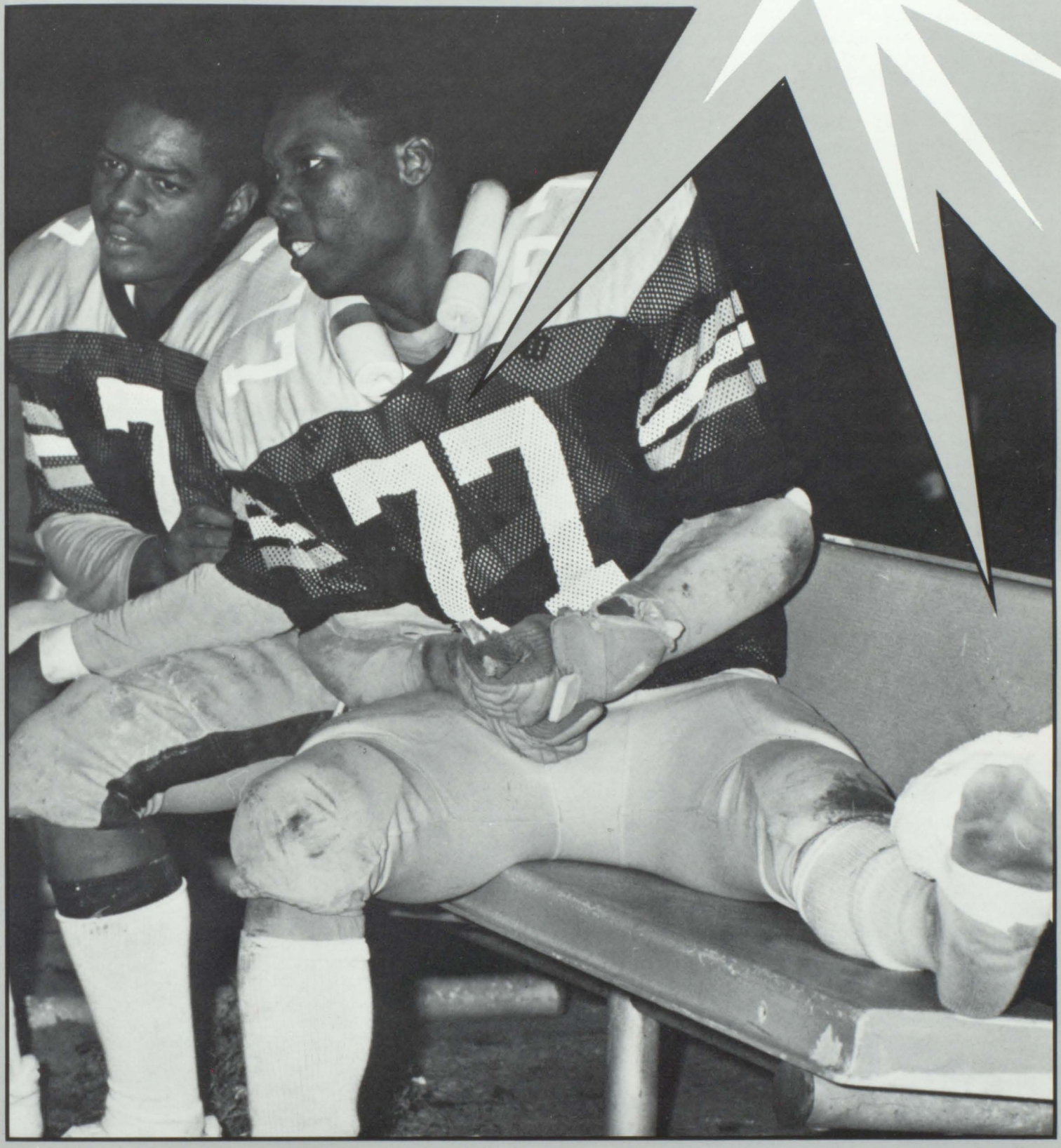


Mr. Paul Bohney, math superviser, evaluates teaching instruction, as Ryan Ellis, junior, is distracted by a snoopy camera.



A group of students seems intent on completing its ASVAB examination, a test that tries to identify military aptitudes.

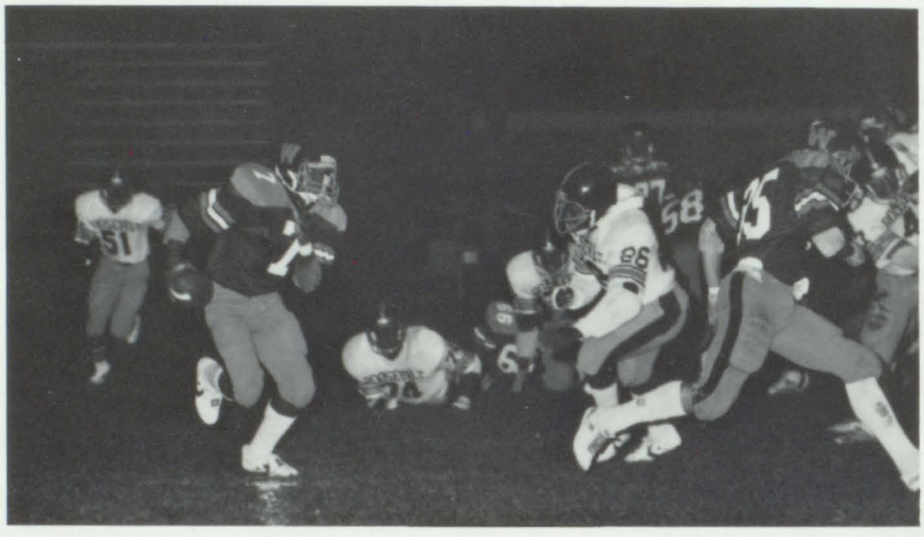
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"D-Rob, D-Rob," the cheerleaders chant, over and over, as Donald Robinson, senior selected MVP, and his teammates race onto the Hornet playing field.

True to the ol' Adams-Carter magic, Stacy Adams, senior also selected MVP, runs an off-tackle play, as Hornet teammate Mose Carter, junior, blocks oncoming opponents. A win for the Hornets, they defeated the Roosevelt Panthers 36-6.



Oftentimes parents are a team's biggest boosters. Shown taking bows on Parents Night are no. 68, Charles Vorice's father; no. 77, Derwin Lowe's father; no. 52, Alfonso Joneses' father; no. 35, Charles McKinney's father; and no. 60, Bennie Hargro's father.

Being a football player isn't all grind and no play, you know. Here, members of the notorious femmes fatales, the "Jockettes" perform their cancan routine at Quill and Blade's Promo Show. At left is Lawrence Robinson, Donald Robinson, Stacy Adams, Eric Newman, George Diaz, Mose Carter, Lance Robinson, Alex Sanchez, and Sam King, all upperclassmen. Lola Falana, eat your heart out!





Hanging in there tough this season, the

Varsity contributes 100%

They played to kill! Bam! Boom! Oof! Splat! LW football players hung tough. Like its either be macho or be dead.

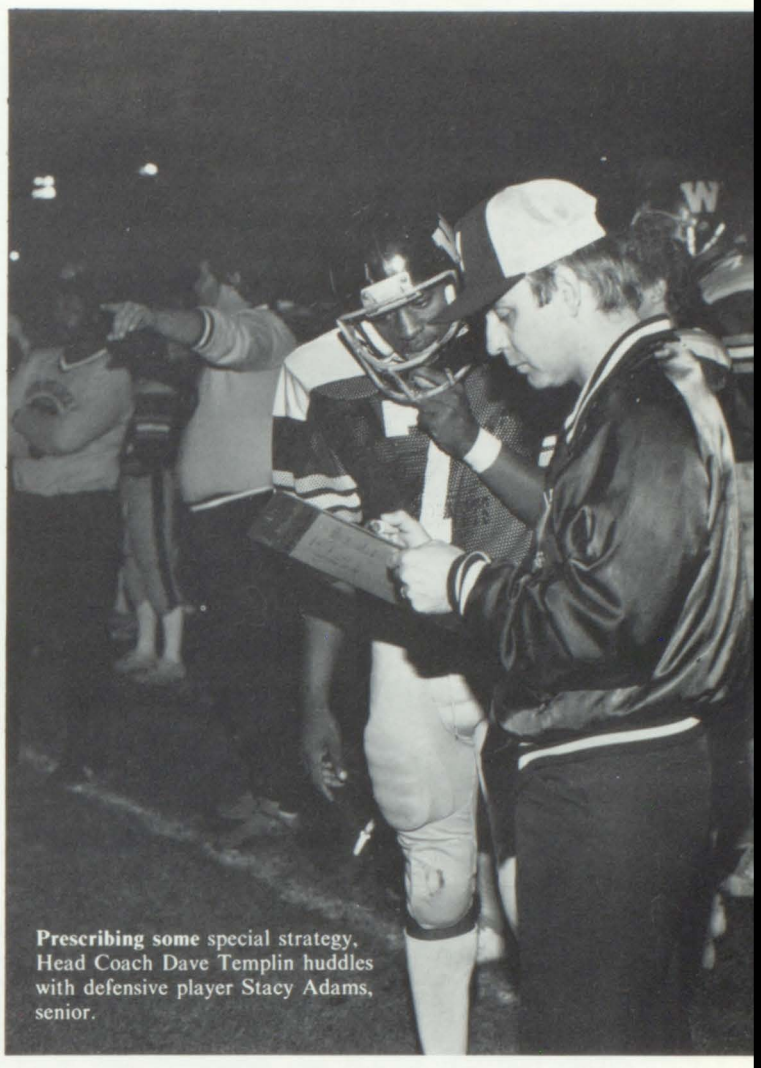
Most Carter, varsity football player, testified, "Football is an extremely physical sport. But do I love it? A lot of times I know I take out my built-up agressions on the football field. Sometimes when I get uptight because of school, girls, or just plain life in general, I go out there and I wanna kill someone. And that someone is usually the poor sucker in front of me. Yeah, he's the enemy; and I really "hit him hard."

Charles McKinney, senior and varsity football player, also commented on the rigors of the game, "It's a hard hitting sport sure, but I really enjoy it. I, too, play to kill because it's the one way you can survive."

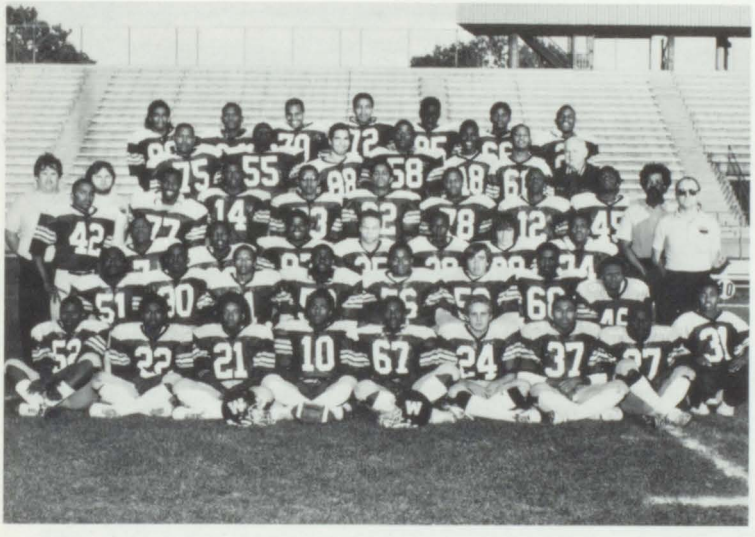
Bennie Hargro, senior, one of the captains of the varsity team, is one of the hardest hitters on the team. Bennie advised anyone who wants to play varsity ball to build-up their strength as much as possible, bench press for their upper body, and dead lift for their legs.

Ralph Brasmale, assistant varsity coach and history teacher, had a lot of praise for this year's team. Bras said, "The team as a whole was an excellent one, mainly because of the boys' mental attitudes. I can tell you that they came to play football. and no matter if they won or lost, they gave one hundred percent." In fact, Bras added, "I've never coached such a solid team."

❑ written by **Sylvia McDonald**



Prescribing some special strategy, Head Coach Dave Templin huddles with defensive player Stacy Adams, senior.



1983-84 Varsity Football Team — Front Row: A. Jones, L. Robinson, D. Robinson, L. Robinson, S. Mohn, A. Sanchez, P. Dominguez, C. Barnes, Mgr. T. Bates. **Second Row:** M. Morris, T. Hess, S. Hicks, J. King, R. Mack, G. Navarro, C. Vorice, F. Cain, Head Coach Dave Templin. **Third Row:** D. Marshall, S. Adams, J. Dubios, R. Jones, C. McKinney, K. Scott, K. Navarro, K. Armstrong, Coach Bradford. **Fourth Row:** Coach Hurdy, Coach T. Jamski, D. Lowe, D. Harris, M. Jelks, L. Jackson, M. Manuel, K. Southerland, L. Hines. **Fifth Row:** A. Lewis, P. Griffin, G. Diaz, B. Hargro, J. Tate, H. Brown, Coach R. Brasaemle. **Back Row:** E. Newman, R. Tate, B. Marthel, K. Evans, R. Carter, M. Carter.

Varsity Football

6-3

	LW	OPP
Wirt	13	10
M.C. Rodgers	28	7
Hammond Morton	17	6
Crown Point	15	22
Portage	6	16
LaPorte	40	6
Horace Mann	12	0
Roosevelt	36	6
West Side	18	14



This years Freshmen Team is awesome and the

Frosh capture city title

This year's Freshmen Football Team was loaded with awesome talent and competitive spirit, so much so that by the end of the season, they had captured the city title.

The freshmen's first victory had come when they were pitted against Gary Wirt. With a tied game of 12-12 and 12 seconds left to play, quarterback Jason Jones threw a 65-yard bomb to split end Lance Curry, pushing the Hornets to a 18-12 win.

Injuries were a factor in the frosh team's second victory, this time against West Side. With Jones and running backs Michael Taylor and Tony Beverly out at the beginning of the compeition due to injuries, Curry had to call all of the shots for the rest of the game.

Antione McGee scored the first Hornet TD off of a Cougar fumble. The game edged to a tied score of 14-14. Then fullback Marlon Lowe, who also had sustained injuries, came back to score a third TD, giving the freshmen a 21-14 lead.

In the game against Horace Mann, the Hornets were without a strong backfield because of all of the previous injuries. But in spite of their troubles, linebacker Roger Austin and defensive end Keith Mott rallied to the cause and shut down the Horsemen's running game, with the Hornets coming out on top 36-6.

The freshmen's 34-6 victory was a major upset in their game against Gary Roosevelt. Initially Mott had forced a Panther fumble, setting-up a TD by Curry. Lowe had scored the game's second TD; and running back Davd Dominguez, the third, running a 65-yard TD. Corey Williamson then had made the final two TD's in the game for LW.

It was Terrance Vorice, Kevin Roberson, and Andre Myles who had zeroed in the most on the Panther's passing game. And it was Austin and linebacker Carver Richardson, Mott, and lineman David Fowler, James Hughes, and Delroy Bridgeman who had done their best in capitalizing on opponent sacks. All in all, Coaches Jamski and Heard both agreed that this Freshmen Hornet Team was outstanding.

written by **Keith Mott**



1983-1984 Freshmen Football Team — Front Row: Coach Heard, D. Dominguez, M. Lowe, J. Jones, L. Curry, A. Myles, C. Williamson, T. Harris, Coach T. Jamski. **Second Row:** A. Brown, D. Lee, T. Perkins, L. Brumfield, R. Austin, D. Bridgeman, J. Hughes. **Third Row:** M. Taylor, K. Roberson, C. Richardson, T. Vorice, A. McGee, J. Gray, A. Johnson. **Back Row:** M. McCullough, R. Coleman, M. Maxwell, A. Wilson, P. Smith, D. Fowler, D. Montgomery.

1983-1984 Reserve Football Team — Front Row: M. Morris, C. Verice, A. Jones, P. Dominguez, K. Scott, Mgr. T. Bates. **Second Row:** T. Hess, D. Marshall, D. Sutherland, D. Harris, F. Cain, C. Barnes, S. Hicks. **Third Row:** Coach R. Brasaemle, K. Navarro, M. Manuel, K. Armstrong, R. Mack, J. Dubois, Coach B. Bradford. **Back Row:** M. Jelks, A. Anderson, A. Lewis, R. Jones, L. Jackson, B. Marthel.



Despite its youthful underclass make-up, this year's Cross Country Team placed third in the conference.



1983-1984 Cross Country Team — Front Row: P. Posey, M. Davis, B. Richardson, R. Burns. **Back Row:** Mgr. D. Djordjevich, M. Stewart, D. Randolph, L. Monacy, Coach E. Brown. **Not shown** is R. Brown, R. Djordjevich, A. Mercer, C. Jones, C. Tinner.

Cross Country

	LW	OPP
Westside	15	45
Wirt	19	39
Roosevelt	43	16
Lake Station	41	16
Hobart	45	15
Horace Mann	53	22
Marquette	69	39
Lowell	69	22
Valparaiso	43	16
Andrean	26	27

Gary sports a new group a semi-pro team and

They're the Golden Bears

Gary has a new semi-pro football team that calls itself the Golden Bears, consisting mostly of survivors of the defunct Chicago Lions semi-pro team.

The Lions and their coaching staff had been lured to Gary by Asberry Summers, founder and general manager, and had been instrumental in turning around the old Bears three-year 0-27 losing streak to a new 4-1 winning one.

Of the 50-man roster, 21 have Northwest Indiana addresses, while the rest call Chicago home, except for two brothers who live in Kalamazoo, Michigan.

Former Gary West Side all-state wide receiver Frank "Fuzzy" Johnson is himself one of the Golden Bears. The Gary resident and U. of Illinois graduate is working a construction job as well as coaching at West Side. "This is my first season," said Johnson. "I decided to come out and see if I still had it. I haven't played since 1977."

Terry Judkins is a Lake County Juvenile Court probatin officer, and like Johnson, is also a defensive backfield coach at Gary Mann. "I'm just doing this for pure enjoyment," said Judkins.

Team members tend to cite all sorts of reasons for their abiding interest in semi-pro ball. Gary Mann graduate Kenneth Lee, who has been idled from his brick mason's job for over 4½ years, says he's nuturing a ray of hope that he can latch onto some kind of paying job in football.

Although the Golden Bears are called semi-pro, they're not even semi-paid. Yet, twice each week (from 7 to 9 P.M., on Tuesdays and Thursdays) these dedicated players go to practice football at Gilroy field, simply because they love the sport. And who knows, one day there might be a pro-team scout out there watching, who will see them play and ink them to a contract.



Shown here scrimmaging are members of Gary's new semi-pro football team, the "Golden Bears."

"Get it! Get it" shouts a fan. "Good, Lalita," squeals teammate Sonya Carter, junior and All-Conference, as Lalita Smith, sophomore, returns an opponent's volley.







At left, "Oh, no, Rhonda, it's your turn t' get it," LaTonya Archie, sophomore, appears to be saying by the look on her face to fellow Hornet Rhonda Brown, senior.

"There she goes again!" someone in the audience hollers, as Lalita Smith, sophomore and All-Conference, returns an opponent's ball, volley for volley.

"Aw, nooo," groans LaTonya Archie, sophomore, to teammate Shunte Gleason, sophomore. "Why didn't you get it?"



Girls Volleyball Team ends second again in sectionals and in conference;

Spikers Carter and Smith make first team All-Conference

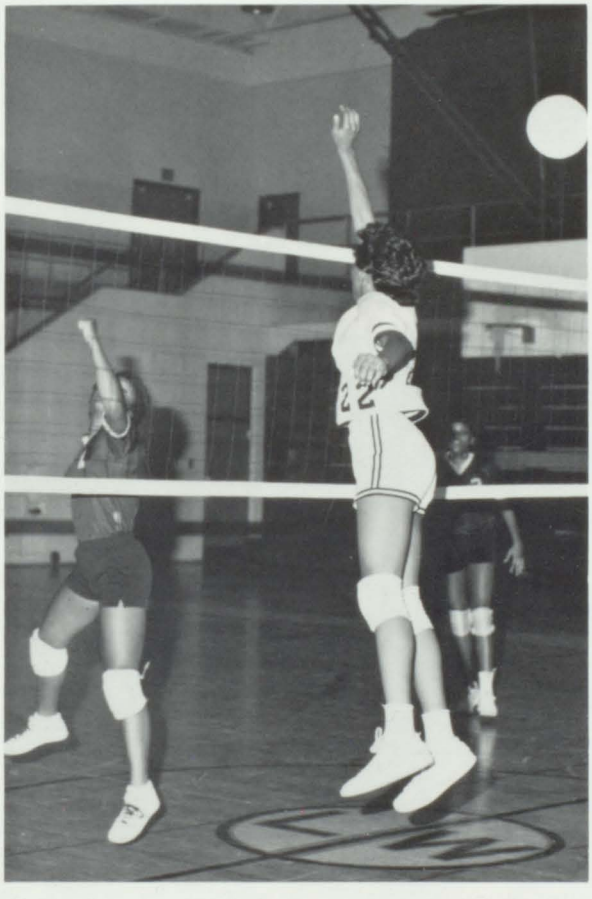


1983-1984 Girls Volleyball Team — Front Row: L. Evans, L. Archie, Y. Cousin, S. Jordan. **Second Row:** L. Smith, R. Brown, S. Carter, S. Gleason. **Back Row:** Coach L. McKissack.



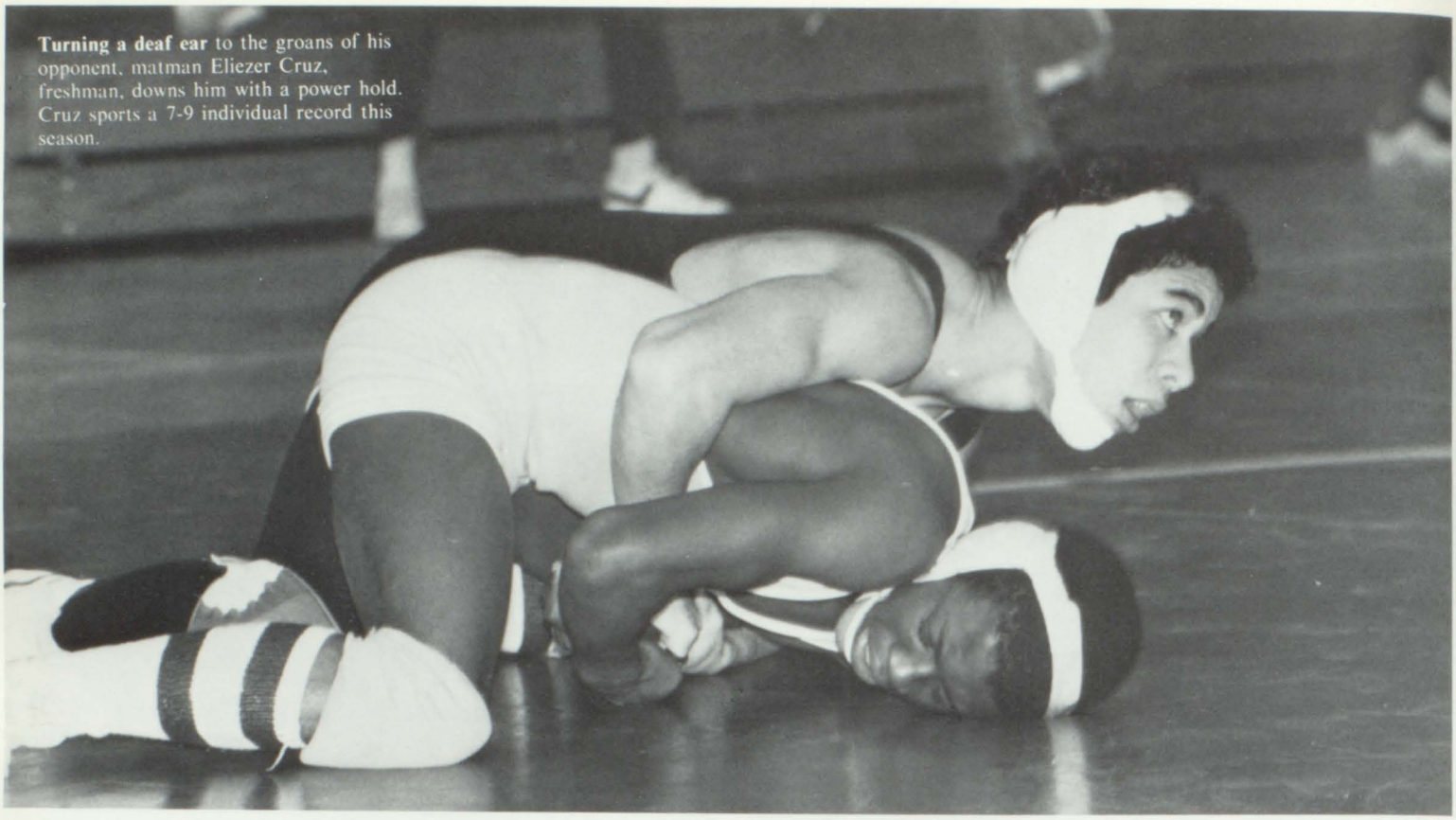
"Go fer it, Rhonda!" someone on the team shrieks, as Rhonda Brown, senior, slaps the ball across the net.

Down and up she goes! Shunte Gleason, sophomore, attempts an underhand volley return, as teammates LaTanya Archie, sophomore, and Rhonda Brown, senior, move in to assist her, just in case.





Lalita Smith, sophomore, attempts to block an opponent's spike.



Turning a deaf ear to the groans of his opponent, matman Eliezer Cruz, freshman, downs him with a power hold. Cruz sports a 7-9 individual record this season.





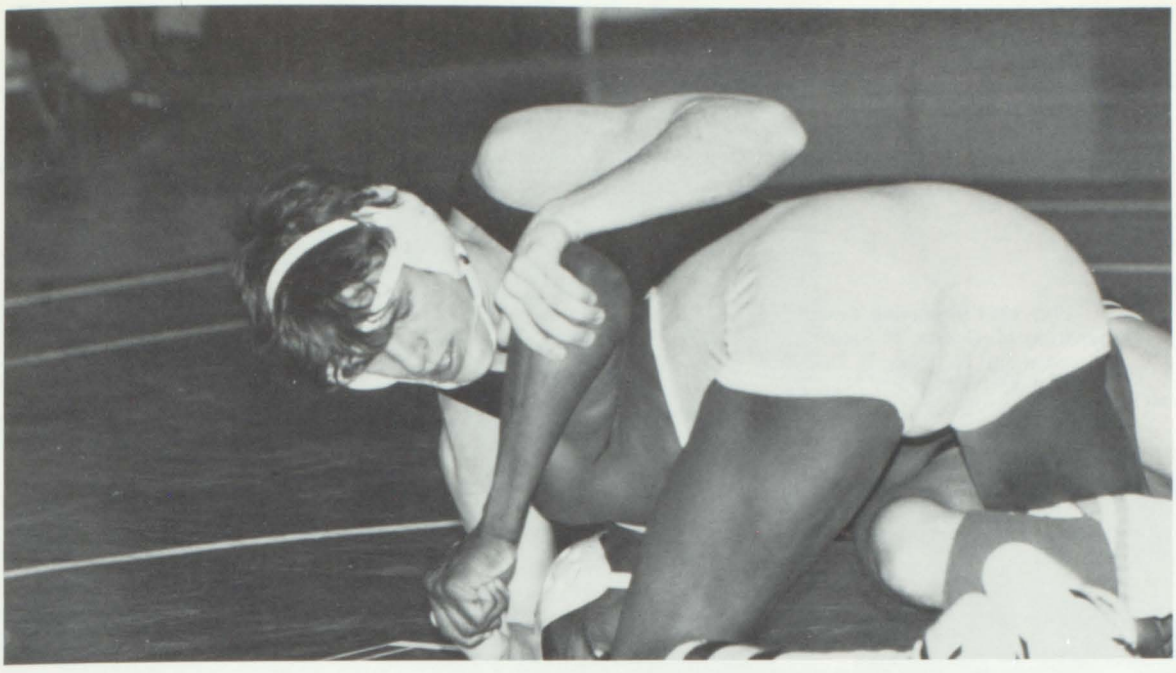
Matman Mike Terek, junior, who has chalked up an 8-5 individual record, feels the physical, as well as the mental, agony in this one, as his opponent goes for a pin, this time on him.

Sophomore Randolph Reeves, wrestling in the heavyweight class, goes round and round with his opponent, locking him in a half nelson. The bigger some of these guys are, the harder they hit the mat.

Having a fan club is a part of the game. Here junior Mike Terek, who is dressed in his wrestling singlet, takes time out to chat with some of his friends, Mario Auguano, sophomore, seated in the middle next to his sister Angie Auguano, senior, who is sitting next to her younger sister Lisa Auguano. Wanna guess for whom they're rooting?



Webb



Having his opponent tied-up in a reverse guillotine hold, Hornet matman David Austin, senior, gains the competition advantage.

Although some like to call it a challenge, wrestling is strenuous, physically and mentally, and

Matmen concede sport hard due to bodily wear and tear

Like it or not, wrestling is a strenuous sport, both physically and mentally, say most of its proponents. Yet, some wrestlers still like to call it a challenge.

Take, for instance, Mike Terek, junior, who has chalked up an 8-5 individual record this year. Terek says that the hardest part about wrestling, as far as he's concerned, is, foremost, the physical wear and tear on his body during wrestling matches.

Secondly, it's the tedious practices and drills that a high school wrestler like himself has to endure before the matches. This season Terek admits to taking 3rd place in the sectional mat competition.

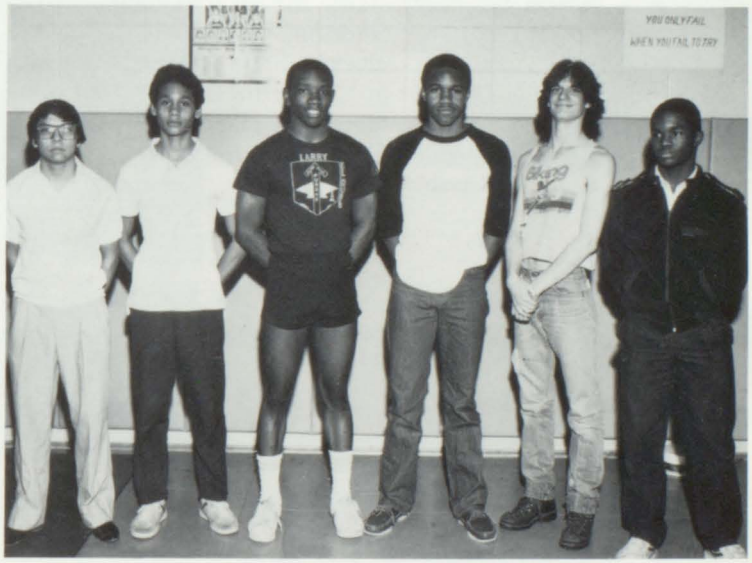
On the other hand, sophomore Mario Auguano, who sports a 15-11 individual record, feels that always having to watch his weight is the thing that he dislikes most about wrestling. "If you're the least bit overweight," moans Auguano, "you have to forfeit the match." However, Mario still sticks with it because he likes the competition, taking third place in this year's sectional competition.

The reason Eliezer Cruz, sophomore, got into his wrestling act was primarily due to his older brother David Cruz liking the sport so much. So like brother David, Eliezer decided to wrestle in high school. Cruz, who has a 7-9 individual record this season, says that mental preparation, too, is a critical factor in becoming a successful wrestler because a lot of times you just don't know whom or what you're going to have to deal with in a match.

Another thing that drives him up a wall at times is all of the running, exercising, and practicing that he, Terek, and other wrestlers like themselves are required to do before each wrestling competition. This season, Cruz got as far as the Regionals, losing in the first round to a Lake Central opponent.

Now another Cruz, Richard Cruz, freshman, who has a 6-10 individual record for the year, is another story. Win or lose, Richard thinks wrestling is a tough but a fun sport too. There are, however, a few things that get Richard's goat now and then. Like Mario, Richard can't always eat when and what he wants to. Also, wrestlers such as himself are suppose to be clean shaven and wear short hair. Sometimes, too, wrestling fans get under his skin, and make him nervous while he's on the mat.

□ reported by **Angie Auguano**



1983-1984 Varsity Wrestling Team — Front Row: J. Auguano, R. Cruz, L. Moore, K. Mott, O. Borrero, E. Hosley. **Among those missing** are M. Auguano, D. Austin, E. Cruz, R. Reeves, M. Terek.



1983-1984 Swimming Team — Front Row: M. Griffin, D. Stoner, S. Mauseth, H. Jones, E. Danko. **Second Row:** H. Brown, T. Shelton, B. Dorsey, W. Keys, R. Walker, K. Zale. **Third Row:** S. Mauseth, D. Ruzbasan, D. Popovich, J. Rivera, C. McClain, N. Serrano. **Back Row:** T. Welch, T. Gearld, C. Garcia, J. Moore, D. Henderson, Coach R. Brasmaele, Coach M. Foley.

Although the squad's official record seemed disappointingly thin this year the

Swimmers build know-how for next season's meet



Salazar

This swim season, by-in-large was a building effort. But despite a disappointing number of losses, Coach Mike Foley had his sights set further on down the line to next year's seasonal competition. "We should be very competitive during next season and in next year's Northwest Conference," Foley declared reassuringly.

Foley has hitched his wagon to a group of future swimming stars, the likes of Thaddeus Shelton, junior, who was clocked in the 50-yard freestyle at :25.30; in Blake Scott, junior, who placed third in the Conference this year in both the 200 and 500-yard freestyle events; in Roy Walker, junior, who swam the 100-yard backstroke in 1:10; in Denise "Coco" Ruzbasan, freshman, who was the first freshman girl to earn a letter in swimming at LW; and in Norma Serrano, freshman, who took 10th in the city for the 100-yard backstroke.

Five of Foley's swimmers this year were clocked under 1:10 in the 100-yard freestyle. Foley, also, felt that Harold Jones, freshman, and Delroye Stoner, sophomore, were the most improved swimmers on the squad. Another important factor for next year, Foley said, would be the 23 returning swimmers, out of a total of 27, who will already have had one year's experience under their suits. Then, too, never discount the potential of the dark horses, who win when they're least expected. Thus with hopeful signs Foley closed this season's files and eagerly awaited the next.

Foley really had only one regret — that three of his squad, Co-captain Donna Ruzbasan, Donna Popovic, and Melvin Ellison, would be graduating at the end of this year. "They will be missed," he said.

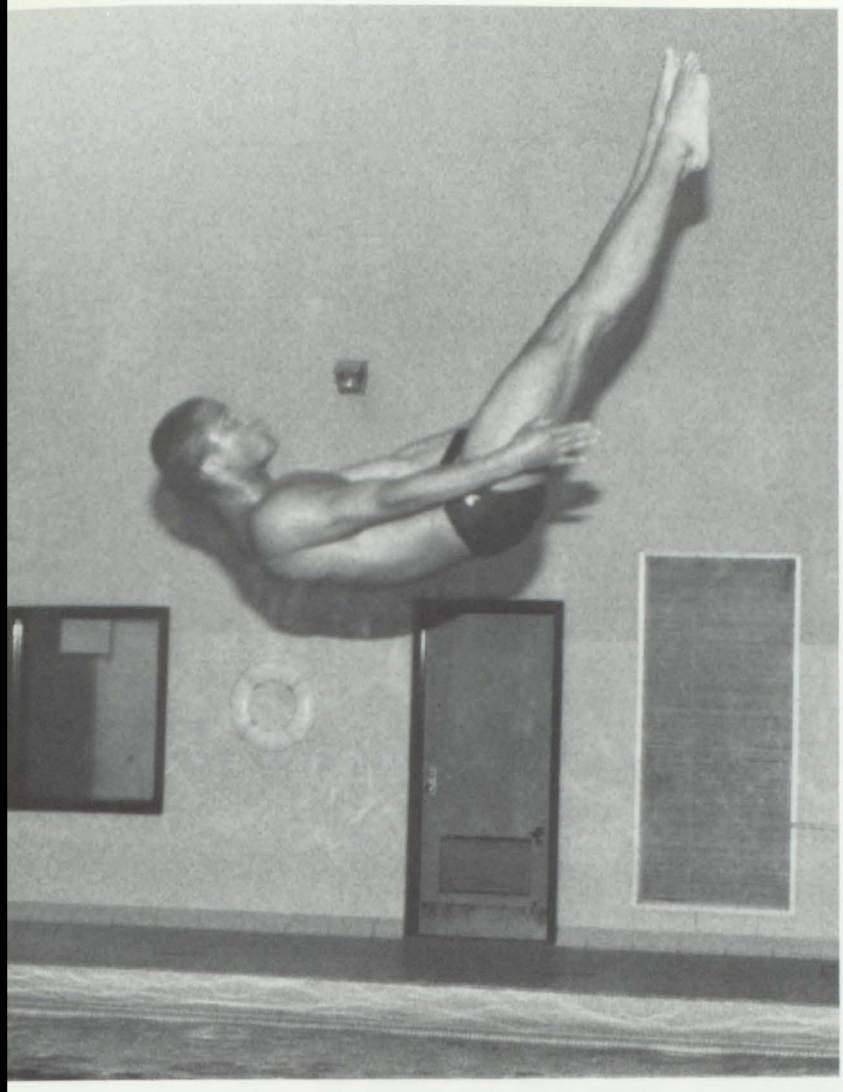
❑ reported by **Coach Mike Foley**

Squad member Donna Ruzbasan, senior and team co-captain, is caught in a playful moment during a swim practice.

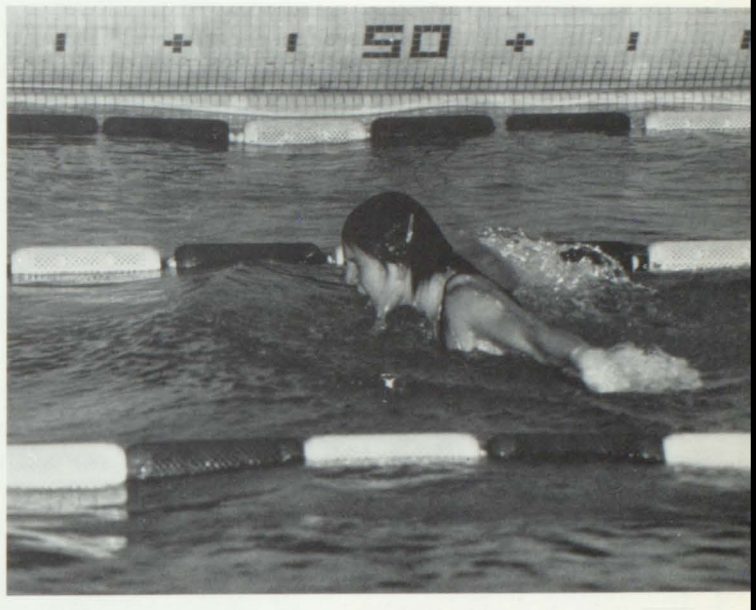
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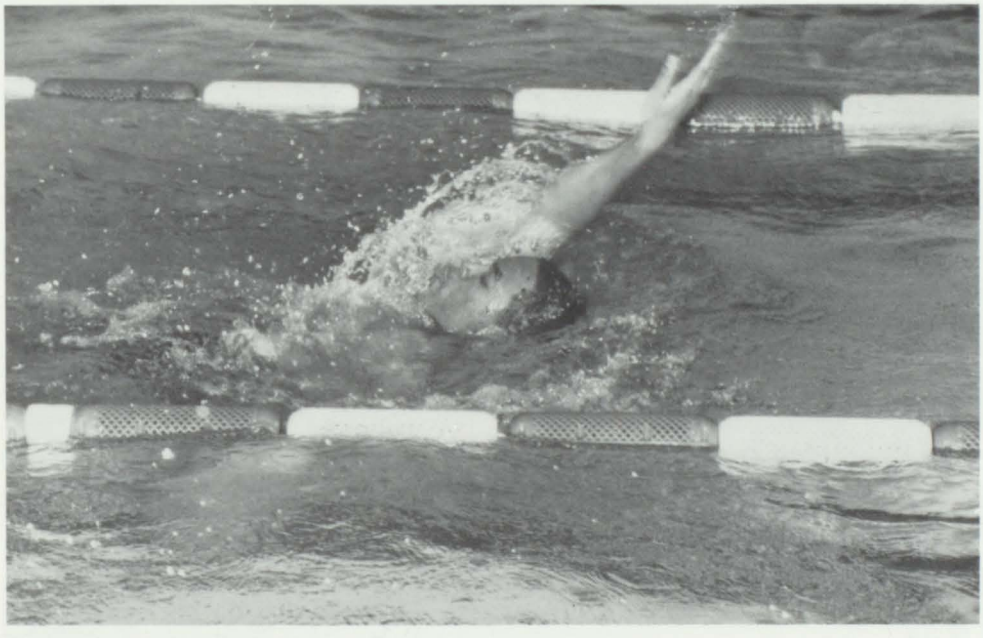
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	LW	OPP
Wirt	L	W
Griffith	L	W
Calumet	L	W
Hammond Morton	L	W
Horace Mann	W	L
Roosevelt	L	W
West Side	L	W
Hammond High	L	W
Hammond Clark	L	W



Pictured here practicing in the Hornet's pool, Elizabeth Danko, junior, does her butterfly stroke, stroke, stroke.





Looking into the crystal ball at the future, Ken Richardson, at left above, who will be a freshman next year, will bring with him his diving talent and skill to help the Swim Team's overall standing. **At left,** Walter Keys, junior, could be one of those dark horses that unexpectedly comes through for the squad.

Shown at left on next page, Denise "CoCo" Ruzbasan, freshman, is caught taking a breather. "Denise is the first freshman girl ever to earn a letter in swimming at LW," said Coach Mike Foley.

This cheerleading squad rates themselves A-1 due to Hortense House, Bonita Kimp others; but in 1984-85

Varsity loses five senior rahs



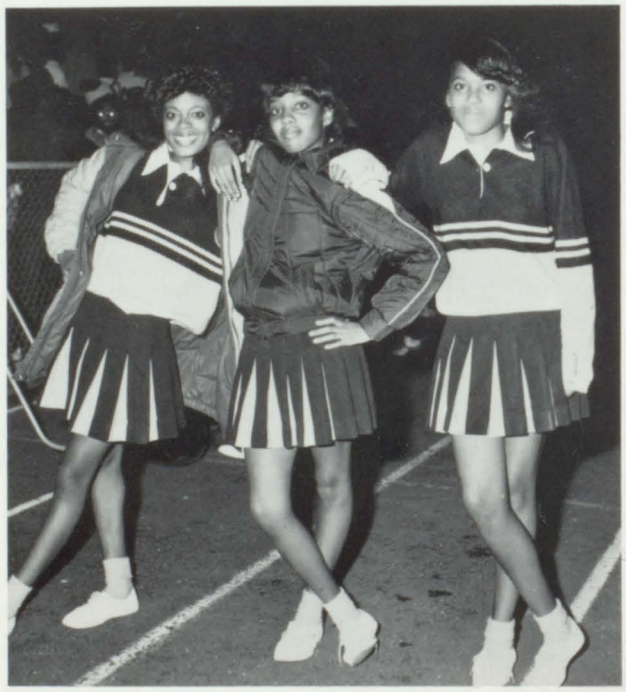
1983-1984 Varsity Cheerleaders and Lifters — Front Row: L. Lynch, F. Payne, V. Osborn, B. Kimp, U. Thompson, F. Ford, P. Tinoco, J. Ash, S. McDonald. **Back Row:** D. Goshay, J. King, L. Moore. **Top Row:** M. Morales.



"Let's get it on!" yell the El Dubb rahs, during the first quarter of the LW vs. Wirt game.

The Reserve Cheering Squad feels proud that they were there when the Hornets and the Panthers played their first basketball game ever at Gary's new Genesis Center. Pictured during a crisp Friday night football game is Neeshonah Davis, Debbie Kimp, and Yolanda Belyeu, sophomores.







Cheerleader Captain Bonita Kimp, senior, is one of the five on the squad who will be graduating at the end of this school year and who will be taking a lot of memories with her as well. Bonita says she especially will miss her close friendship with sponsor Hortense House, with Larry Moore and the rest of the gang. To next year's squad she wants them to know that cheerleading is a lot of hard work and that many here don't appreciate their efforts. "But there are people from other schools who do realize how hard they work and who do appreciate them," said Bonita, "so it's worth the trouble."



Varsity cheerleaders and lifters execute one of their high risers, in an attempt to bolster team support among the sparse crowd of home fans. Cheerleaders Sylvia McDonald, senior, and Jennifer Ash, sophomore, tether the ends, as lifters James King, Larry Moore, and Stacy Adams, seniors, support Frenchie Payne, Venita Osborn, sophomores, Mary Ann Morales, junior, Patty Tinoco, senior, and Latoria Lynch, junior.



Mary Ann Morales, junior, and the cheerleaders line try to warm-up the fans as the Hornet courtmen warm-up the ball.



1983-1984 Reserve Cheerleaders and Lifters — Front Row: R. Washington. **Second Row:** L. Moore, D. Goshay, J. King. **Top Row:** N. Davis, Y. Belyeu, D. Kimp.

Doing well during the first half of the season, they could have gone all the way but didn't the

Trackmen start strong but lose itch, state shot

"Had they just been able to maintain their desire, their dedication, and their will to excell," said a disappointed Coach Ed Brown, "this year's track team could have gone all the way — straight to downstate, but they didn't."

The Varsity Track and Field Team did do well for the first half of their season, but something went amuck during the second. Yet, their 8-4 overall record really wasn't too bad; but it could have been so much better, lamented Brown. It really could have been something else.

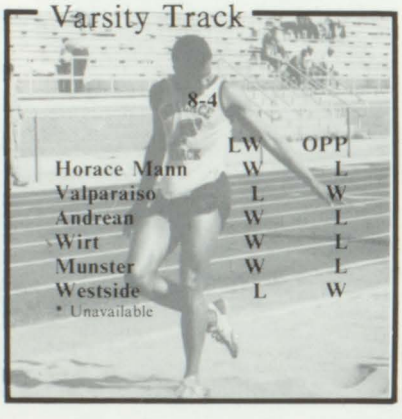
Still seven of Brown's varsity trackmen did push themselves sufficiently to qualify for the Regional Competition in five events: Reginald Roberson, junior, qualified for the Regionals in the high jump; Charles Heffner, senior, qualified for the Regionals, also, in the 300 meter high hurdles. Rodney Shepherd, junior, and Corey Williamson, freshman, qualified in the 200 meter; and Lawrence Robinson, senior, in the 400 meter. Donald "D-Rob" Robinson, junior, Lance Robinson, senior, Rodney Shephard, and Corey Williamson, further, qualified in the 400 meter relay.

Later on, in reflecting upon what might have been, a dejected Brown looked around at his gifted young athletes, shook his head and thought, "The talent was there alright. Why not the will?"

❑ reported by **Coach Ed Brown**



1983-1984 Boys Varsity Track and Field Team — Front Row: J. Haynes, C. Williamson, L. Monacy, M. Davis, J. Taylor, L. Robinson, R. Djordjevich, Mgrs. D. Djordjevich, T. Bishop. **Second Row:** Mgr. J. Riley, W. Rouse, P. Dominguez, R. Roberson, C. Heffner, J. King, L. Robinson, D. Robinson. **Back Row:** Mgr. Y. McKee, Coach E. Brown, R. Shepherd, D. Fowler, M. Stewart, B. Hargrove, H. Brown, M. Lacey, M. Carter, E. Darden, D. Harris, K. Scott, D. Scott, Mgr. L. Whiting.





Trying to combine the best of two possible worlds, Eugene Darden, junior, plugged into his stereo headset, warms-up on the track infield at the Roosevelt Invitational.



1983-1984 Boys Reserve Track and Field Team — Front Row: B. Richardson, C. Tinner, G. Belyeu, J. Hayden, R. Pleasant, M. Taylor, M. Morris. **Back Row:** F. Cain, R. Brown, C. Fletcher, W. Henderson, A. Mercer, D. Glover, P. Posier, C. Jones, Coach E. Brown.

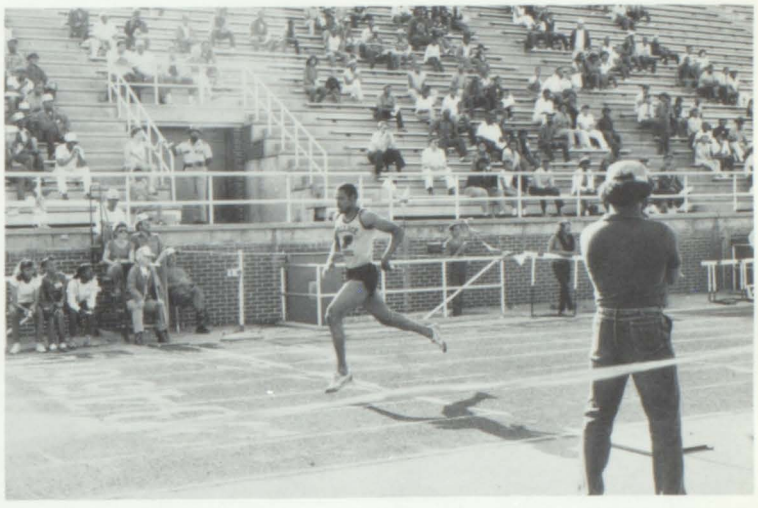


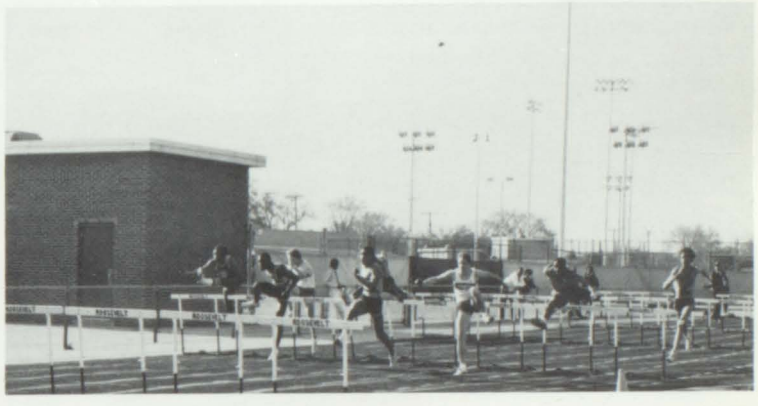
Winning this one at the Invitational, Rudy Djordjevich, junior, runs the mile in 4:44.



1983-1984 Girls Track and Field Team — Front Row: *, R. Washington, S. Gleason, *, L. Evans, M. Nelson, J. Ash, L. Archie, S. Carter, Mgr. S. Rozier. * Unidentified







Above at left, Corey Williamson, freshman, leads off in the 200 meter at the Roosevelt Invitational. Williamson and teammate Rodney Shepherd, senior, both qualified for downstate competition.

A remarkable Sonya Carter, junior, once again was a sports' sensation, this time in field and track. Although it was only her first year running, Carter broke the 300 meter low hurdle record, an exceptional feat that qualified her for downstate. Carter's teammate LaTwaina Evans, freshman, also, broke the long jump record, in an outstanding performance for her years.

A triumphant Rodney Shepherd, junior, easily crosses the finish line at the Roosevelt Invitational. Shepherd's time in the 200 meter was good enough to earn him a place downstate.

Winning the 300 meter high hurdles at the Roosevelt Invitational was good enough to qualify Charles Heffner, senior, pictured third from the left, for downstate competition.

Because of a number of returning lettermen, next season should look a lot better; still back in '84, the

Varsity batmen hit 13 homers



Swinging at a low ball, John Bono, senior, has a strike called. Selected MVP, Boni, however, got a base hit on the next pitch, during the LW vs West Side game.



Letting loose with a few impassioned verbal spurs, firebrand Coach John Russell attempts to rouse Hornet batter-up Kevin Wright, junior, at the plate. In all, Wright hit two homeruns for the season and batted at .290.



Hornet Rene "Buster" Glover, senior, gets ready to fire one from the pitching mound over the plate, hopefully for a West Side out. Glover himself had hit three homers during the season also. Not too bad for a pitcher, eh?

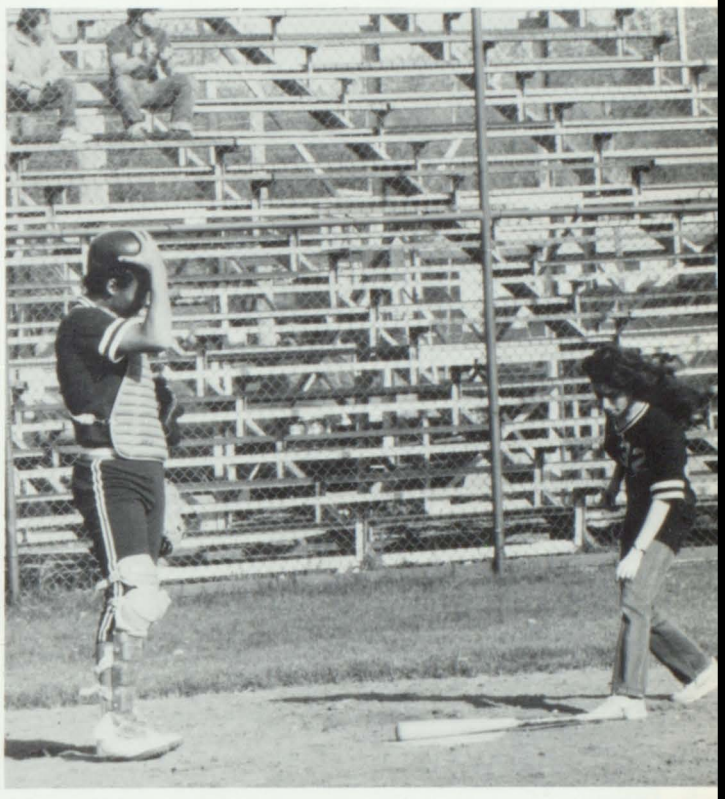


1983-1984 Varsity Baseball Team — Front Row: K. Wright, L. White, Mgr. A. Comsa, S. Shultz, M. Terek. **Back Row:** Coach J. Russell, T. Frazier, S. Blacknell, R. Glover, J. Bono, *.

* Unidentified



"Fly, Theodis, fly!" Coming home for a Hornet run, Theodis Stroder, junior and second year starter, scores against West Side.



The guys on the team often think fondly of Angela Comsa, senior, as the best li'l bat girl in the city of Gary.



Carefully, carefully, Hornet Michael Terek, junior, inches away from first base, as a vigilant West Side adversary, in the meantime, gets lined-up to take him out.

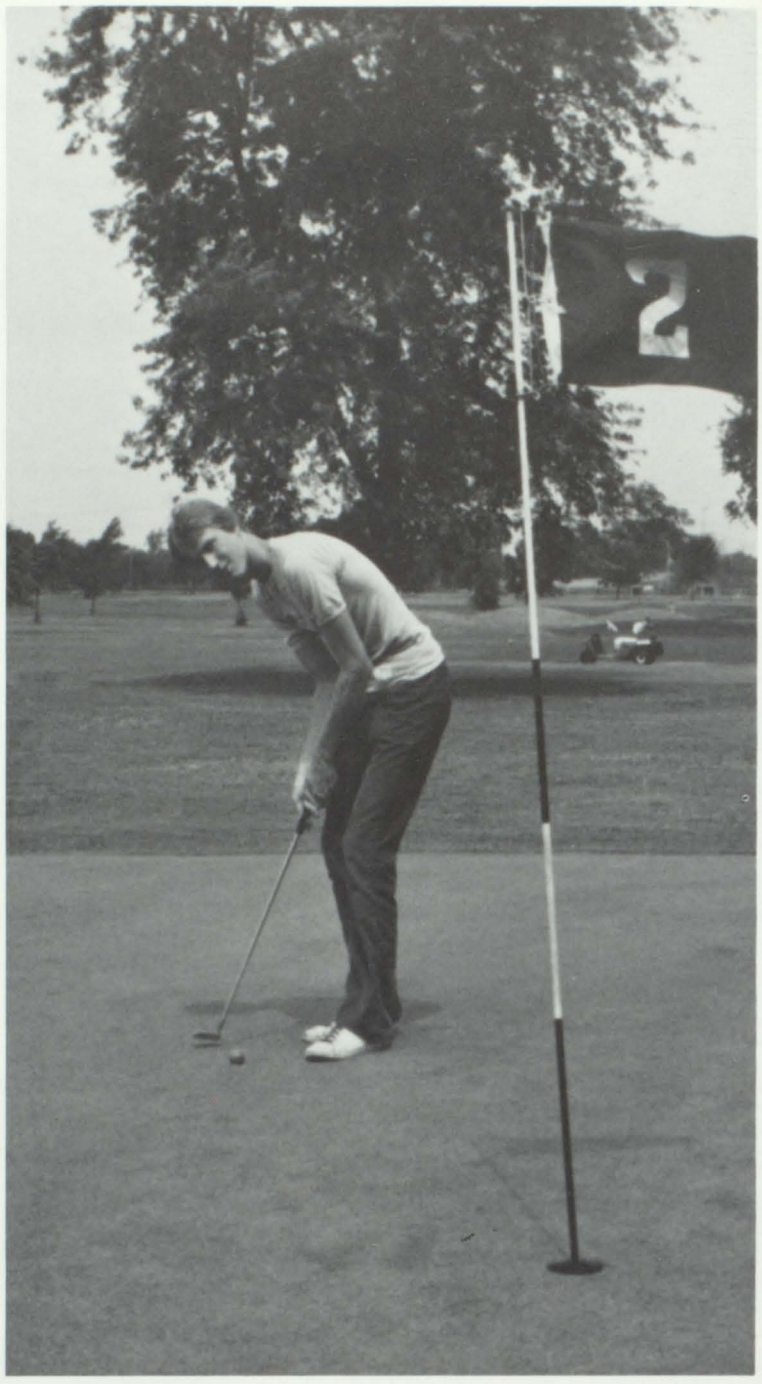
Shooting a par 85 at Sherwood qualified him alone:

Finney, sole Gary golfer at Regional links

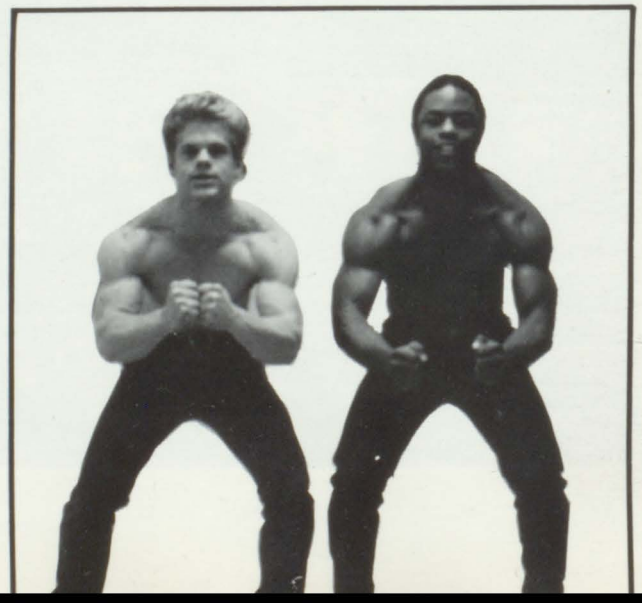
Last year's loss of Ron Finney to graduation left a hole in this year's Hornet Golf Team. But all was not lost, however, as younger brother Tony Finney, junior, remained to keep-up the family's golfing tradition. "Tony was the only golfer from a Gary school who qualified for the Regional Golf Meet, with a par 85 shot at the Sherwood Golf Course," said Golf Coach Dave Templin.

During the Golf Sectionals, Blake Scott, junior, was only four strokes away from qualifying for the Regionals. The LW Golf Team had placed third in city-wide competition, with a seasonal record of 7-3. Other members of the Golf Team this year included Derwin Lowe, Richard Kowalsky, seniors, and Jason Jones, freshman.



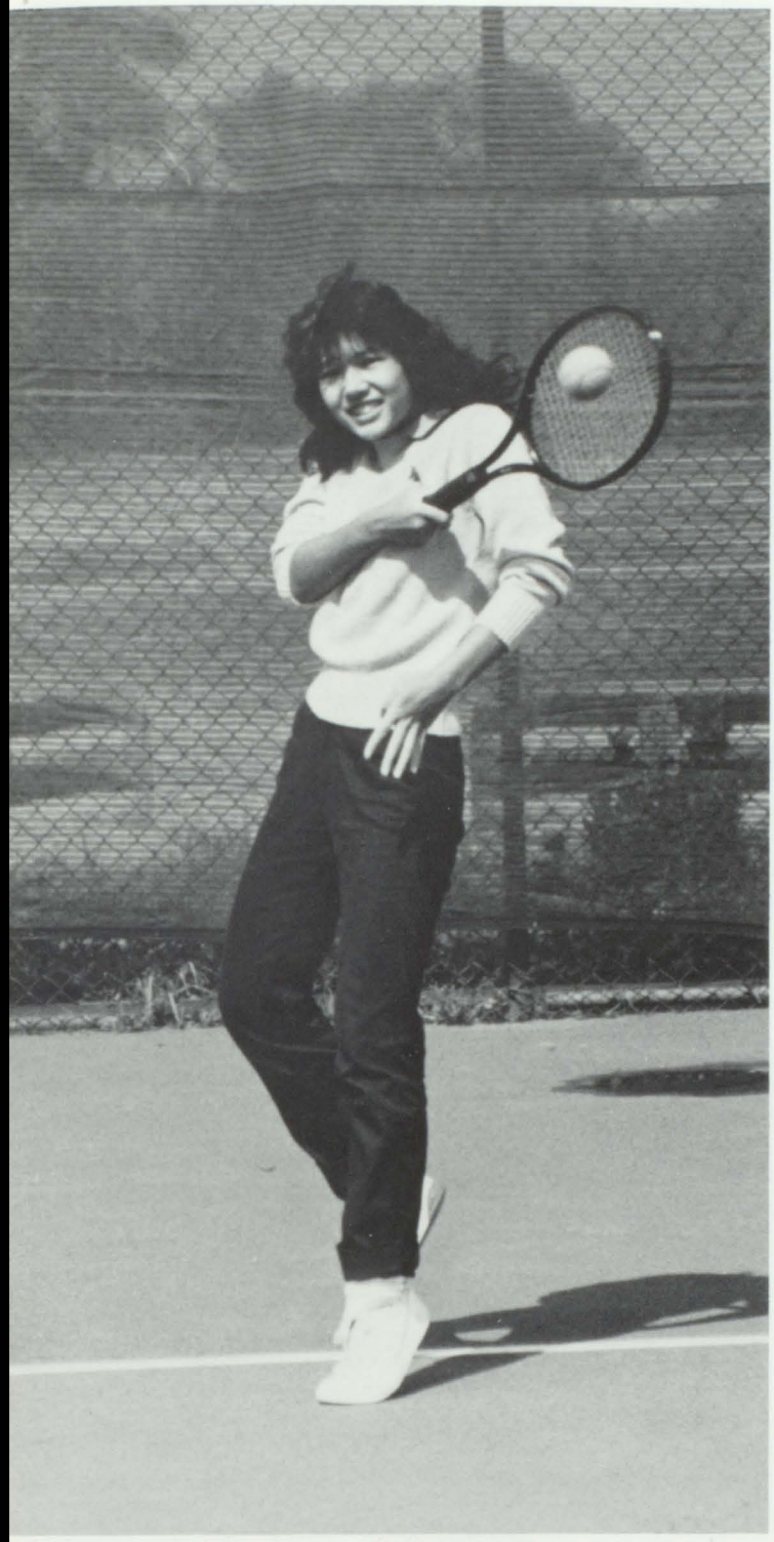


Showing-off the results of pumping iron, Patrick Mills and Mose Carter, both juniors, are "gun-ho" body builders and power houses. Patrick likes to admire his biceps in the mirror and Mose likes to knock 'em down on the football field.



Committed to rebuilding the tennis program at LW, Coach Don Gobbie says not since 1980 has

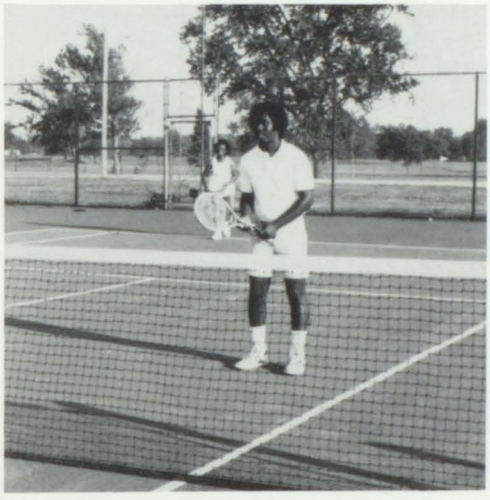
Tennis sports full team



Showing much promise on the tennis circuit, Erina Hornak, freshman and team co-captain, along with Yolanda Gates, sophomore, is rated by Coach Don Gobbie as this year's most improved player. Also selected by Gobbie is David Jones as this year's MVP.



1983-1984 Tennis Team — Front Row: Coach D. Gobbie, M. Benton, Y. Gates, E. Hornak. **Second Row:** M. Chavers, D. Lee, R. Mack. **Absent:** D. Ferguson and D. Jones.



Getting in some court time, Mathew Chavers, junior, is shown playing a doubles match at Gleason with teammate Yolanda Gates, sophomore.

Tennis

0-6

	LW	OPP
Horace Mann	0	5
Roosevelt	1	4
Wirt	0	5
Andrean	0	5
Calumet	0	5
West Side	0	5

This Hornet team was mighty green,
yet under "Buster" Glover's charge,
it chalked-up at 13-8 record

Under Glover, green Hornets show promise

Three words that characterize the Hornet's cager action this season are "Rene 'Buster' Glover." He was the leader of a very green Hornet team and the only senior starter returning from the 1983-1984 State Semi-finalist Team. "Glover's one of the premier guards in our area, if not in the entire state," said Coach Earl Smith proudly. "He's very, very quick; he can go to the hole or pull up for a jumper. Plus, he gives us the great floor leadership we need."

Smith couldn't praise his star ace enough. Glover's 21.9 scoring average had made him the top basketball gun in both Lake and Porter counties. Glover, also, has received numerous awards for his much hearlded talented endeavors, including *Post Tribune's* "Player of the Week," and the MVP Award. But, perhaps Glover's highest honor todate, said Smith, was in his being selected to play in the North-South All Star Game, on July 14, 1984.

And in spite of their youth, Glover's green Hornet teammates had emerged as a group of real competitors during the season. Though beginning with one freshmen, three sophomores, and only one returning senior, before basketball's end, they had chalked-up a respectable record of 13-8, which is not bad, not bad at all.

And which, said a hopeful Smith, might be indictive of a very promising future if they continue to remain dedicated and productive. Who knows, he thought, but that one day, the Hornet Basketball Team will rise again to that greatness they once knew.

☐ reported by **Coach Earl Smith**



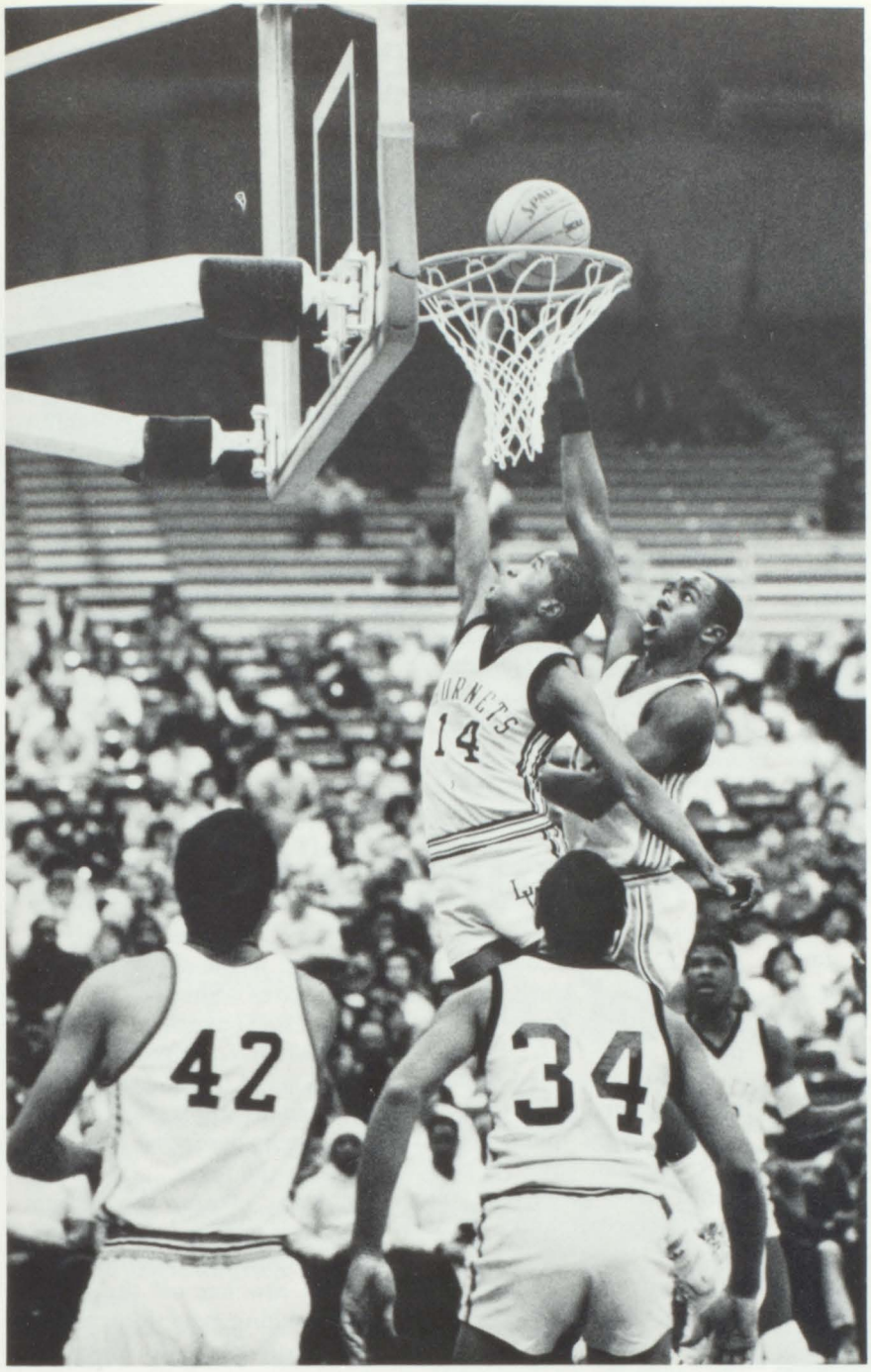


In the opening competition against Gary Wirt, Hornet cager Jerome Harmon (32), freshman, makes a free throw for the home team. During the third quarter, Harmon, again, connected with eight shots that helped the Hornets defeat the Troopers 65-61.

The green Hornets outlasted the Troopers in this NWC opener, by winning 65-61. Pictured is Hornet cager David Scott (22), sophomore shooting a one-handed jumper against rival Wirt. But it was Rene Glover, senior, again, with his 24-point effort that ultimately plugged Wirt full of holes.



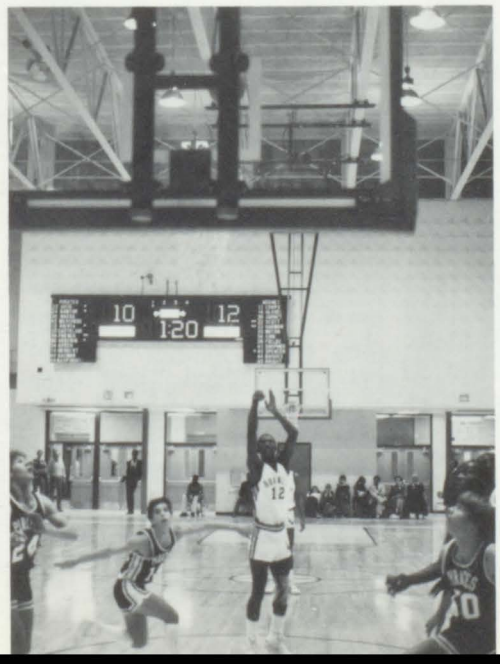
1983-1984 Varsity Basketball Team — Front Row: K. Kirk, D. Coops, R. Glover, D. Moton, J. Spencer. **Back Row:** Coach E. Smith, Mgr. E. Walker, D. Fields, D. Scott, J. Harmon, S. Miller, R. Harris, *. * Unidentified



During the semi-final competition of the Holiday Tourney, held for the first time in downtown Gary's Genesis Center, LW premier guard Rene "Buster" Glover (14), senior, is shown battling for a West Side rebound. When the rusty Hornet team trailed the Cougars at halftime 33-32, Glover took matters into his own hands during the final eight minutes of play. With explosive, lightening fast speed, Glover scored nine points from the field and made a free throw shot, putting the Hornets on top at the gun 49-46. Glover, who plays exceptionally well under pressure, was, also, high man for the game, scoring a total of 25 points. However, later that evening, when the Hornets confronted Roosevelt in the finals, Glover went down with a knee injury. Without his leadership, the fizzled Hornets were blownout of the competition 67-41.



During the LW vs Andrean game here, Hornet Jerome Harmon (32), freshman, shoots from the field as fellow cagers John Spencer (43), senior, and Derrick Brooks (44), junior, follow the ball over the heads of the 49er's.



Though Coach Earl Smith, together with Merrillville's Jim East, seemed to end-up singing the same duet about the "baby blues," the green Hornet team took advantage of the "wet behind the ears" Pirates' jitters and won the game 61-44. Pictured is Hornet cager Dwayne Coops, junior, connecting from the free throw line.

The Reserve Team was a lot better than its 7-9 record: the

Reserves plagued by "ups and downs"

This year's Reserve Basketball Team seemed to suffer from a case of the "ups and downs!" The team really was a lot better than its record of 7-9 showed, because all of its losses were by margins of fewer than 4 points.

In the main, the team appeared a well balanced group, with no hot dogging superstars. Yet one of its shortcomings was that it suffered the loss of many players due to academic failures.

The game between LW and Roosevelt was thought to be among the more memorable ones. It was a 46-44 thriller in which the Panthers finally edged the Hornets in a double overtime, before a packed and screaming house.

Then near the end of the basketball season, it seemed as though the Reserve Team was finally getting it all together, as they went on to three promising wins.

❑ written by **Dwayne Moman**



1983-1984 Reserve Boys Basketball Team — Front Row: A. Palm, D. Moman, P. Lewis, I. Colbert, C. Jones. **Second Row:** B. Richardson, W. Jones, W. Henderson, F. Levy, A. Mason, S. Gunn.

Sonya Carter is almost too good to be true; a lot of colleges want her. Certainly, Sonya

Carter, awesome on court

Around this neck of the woods, the name of Sonya Carter is, synonymous with Girls' Basketball at LW. An outstanding leader of a team that has won the Holiday Tourney this year and that has placed second in the Conference, Carter has, in fact, been described by *PT* sports writer Al Hamnik as being "awesome."

Carter, a senior, is a four-year varsity starter who is almost too good to be true: she leads Northwest Indiana in scoring with a 28-point average. She shoots 58 percent from the field and 72 percent from the line, holding the record for career points (1,273). "Sonya has scored in double digit figures in all but one of the 57 games she's played," said Carter's Coach Larry McKissack. "And she is the team's leading scorer," he added.

"Sonya has good speed, a knack for being where the ball is, and can she jump!" McKissack vaunted. "She's a perfectionist too— all-city in volleyball, basketball, and a state finalist in track. You show her something once and she knows how to do it. The only weakness I see in her is that ... she's so hyper, so fired-up all of the time."

McKissack continued, "When I first got to LW, the girls' program was in a hole. I don't know whether I turned it around, or Sonya did. The second year that I was coach, I brought her in and we haven't looked back yet."

McKissack still gets chills thinking about the night all of Gary stood-up and took notice of his prodigy. "She had 32 points, 16 rebounds, seven assists, five steals, shot 11 of 22 from the field, and was 10 of 14 at the free-throw line."

Yet, Carter insists that she isn't the whole show, that her teammates Shunte Gleason (16.0), LaTonya Archie (11.0), and 6-foot freshman Terrilyn Johnson (14.0) are deserving of a round of applause, too, for their many deserving contributions to the team.

"Away from the game, Carter is softspoken, humble, and doesn't say much usually. If you saw her off the court, you wouldn't even think she's a basketball player," Mac added.

"The 5-foot-10 forward is often compared to 1983 grad Emma Jones. The year that they played together, Emma had the inside game and Sonya had the outside shot," said Mac.

"Jones eventually signed with Ball State, which is now after Carter. Unfortunately for the Cardinals, so is everyone else. A lot of schools want her," Mac added. "You name them and they want her: Louisville, Kentucky, USC, DePaul, Notre Dame, Illinois, Wisconsin. She's a *B* students, too, and ranks 23rd in her class."



1983-1984 Varsity Girls Basketball Team — Front Row: L. Smith, R. Brown, S. Carter, S. Gleason. **Second Row:** Y. Cousin, L. Evans, S. Jhordan, L. Archie.

For two years in a row, the football scoring crown has stayed in Gary; this year

"D-Rob," PT scoring champ

Donald "D-Rob" Robinson, Hornet senior, was named *Post Tribune's* scoring champ for this year. Robinson's selection makes it the second year in a row that the football scoring crown has remained in Gary, replacing 1982 scoring champ Erik Campbell of Roosevelt.

A lightning fast offensive quarterback, 5-foot-8 Robinson won the crown for scoring 140 total points, rushing over 1,206 yards, and making 19 touchdowns. His average per carry was 7.6 yards and his average for total offense was 183.1 yards per game.

A modest person, Robinson credits teammate Mose Carter, junior, for some outstanding blocking on his behalf. He said no one dared key in on him when Mose was there. "Mose and I are the best of friends," said D-Rob. "We have a certain love for each other."

D-Rob, also, gave varsity football Coach Dave Templin a plug. "The plays coach called for me were probably responsible for my not getting hurt. He used me outside, and let Mose, who's more of a power back, go up the middle."

Templin, in turn, gave D-Rob a plug back, saying, "I'll definitely miss him next year. We haven't had too many kids score 19 touchdowns for us. But what I'll miss most about Donald is not only his ability, but his great attitude as well."

In the last three years, LW has been most fortunate to boast of four outstanding backs: 1982 graduate Darrin Brown, 1983 graduate Anthony Brown, and now, 1984 prize winning back "D-Rob" Robinson and his teammate Mose Carter.



At the Annual Athletic Awards Banquet those honored received trophies and letters;

Athletes, awarded laurels

Anyone who was anyone in the local sports arena was probably seen at the Annual Athletic Awards Banquet in May. Trophy winners as well as letter winners had all come dressed for the occasion.

Athletes hailed as "Most Valuable Players," also, had come that night, in order to receive their fitting tributes: Sonya Carter, MVP in girls' basketball, track, and volleyball; John Bono, MVP in baseball; Thaddeus Shelton and Blake Scott, MVP's in swimming; Dave Austin and Derwin Lowe, MVP's in wrestling; Stacy Adams and Donald Robinson, MVP's in football; and Blake Scott, MVP in golf.

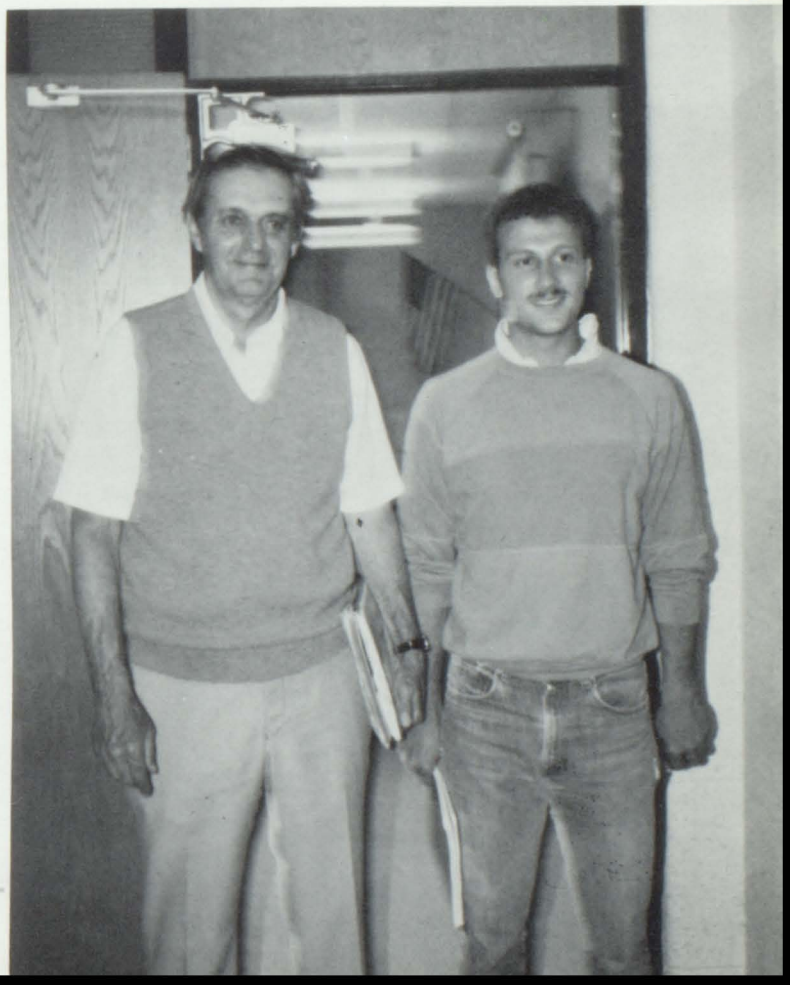
Their coaches were there too: Ralph Brasaemle, Ed Brown, Mike Foley, Larry McKissack, Henry Pimental, John Russell, Earl Smith, and Dave Templin, among others.

At the head table sat some of the big wigs: Bill Kukoy, LW Athletic Director; Don Leek, City Athletic Director; Gene Sullivan, Loyola Athletic Director and guest speaker; and Christ Christoff, principal.

The spotlight had centered on Coach Brasmaele, especially, that evening because after a lifetime of coaching in the Gary Community Schools, Bras would be retiring in June. In commeration of his coaching a long line of youths throughout the city, Coach Bras received a plaque and a jacket from members of the Football and Swimming Teams.

Yes, there were many stars out that night. Some might even say an entire Milky Way illuminated from out the LW cafe.

❑ reported by **Coach William Kukoy**



Teachers strike thirteen days!

Losses cancel gains?

The Gary public school teachers' strike of '84 has had, by-in-large, a negative effect upon the very group it was supposed to help. Exactly what the Gary teachers won and lost is still in doubt in the minds of many.

Certainly the hearlded, so-called, salary increase did not seem to offset the strike losses of many loyal AFT members, not only monetary losses, but losses in morale and in comradery as well.

Many teachers thought that they had been had, manipulated, and sold out by their leaders, as they continued to remain low men on the salary totem. Hard feelings and discontent, too, abounded in the strike's wake; and as a consequence many seasoned veterans chose retirement as an alternative.

Most were left with bitter tastes in their mouths during a time of espoused educational reform and rebirth, in response to a public outcry against further educational decline and risk.

However, amid much public talk of intensified academia, longer school days, proficiency testing, master teacher ratings, and merit pay, a significant number of teachers walked away feeling such prescriptions for greater excellence in education were once again just so much rhetoric, just fancy talk and little else, simply attractive window dressings.

Once again, many teachers felt they had been made the sacrificial goats for politicians and for a populace not truly committed to excellence, to putting their monies up front with their mouths. And thus they left their picket lines and returned to their schools much sadder and wise than before, and with lunch buckets emptier than ever.

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Parents hold key for kids

The "Who's Who of our administration thought that the birth of the LW PTA was perhaps the single most significant event of the '84-'84 educational season.



Like the mythical Phoenix, the PTA arose from its own ashes, showing off its new plumes in a sparking maiden flight, on a "Back-to-school" night, held last April.

Single-mindedly, parents with their offspring in tow, descended eagerly upon the Polk Gym in droves, nearly 600 of them. Already there, and perhaps not as eager, the teachers, counselors, and administrators were waiting.



Sometime afterwards, both parents and kids, with report cards in hand, left the higher educational ring, some gladder and some sadder than before perhaps, but certainly much wiser from facing the lettered foe "vis-a-vis."

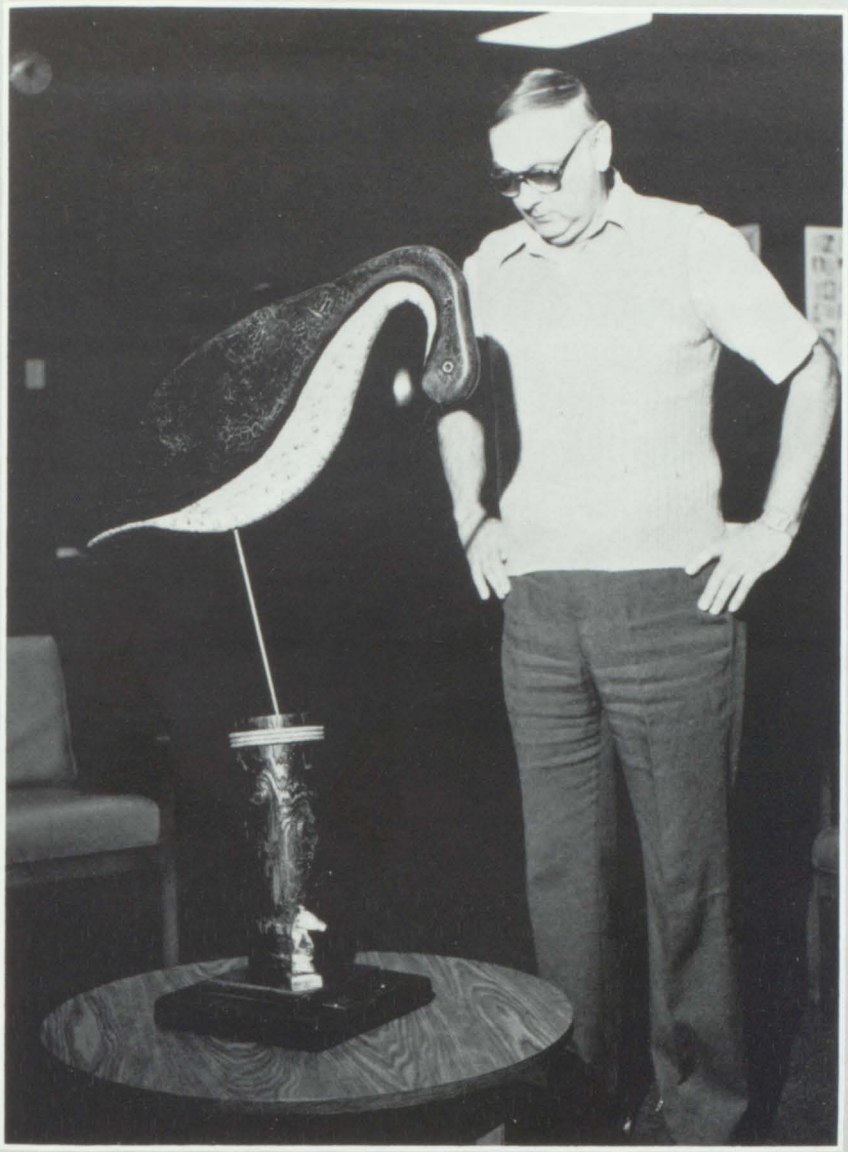


Then, there were thank-you's to be handed out, too, to all who had participated, especially to some of the unseen movers like Mrs. Darlene Maloney, PTA president; Mrs. Elnora Fair, 1st vice president; Mrs. Alice McGowan, 2nd vice president; and Mrs. Anna King Lund, secretary-treasurer.





Pictured above is Principal Christ Christoff. At left is Alfred [illegible] assistant principal; [illegible] Howard [illegible] assistant principal; [illegible] students; and [illegible] McCullough, new assistant principal.



Mr. Orlich remembered

Someone remembered him — Jon Smith, I mean. His friend and colleague George Orlich, math teacher, had rememberd. And Mr. Orlich created a sculpture, kind of a memorial, and dedicated it to his departed friend.

His toil had been a labor of love. Mr. Orlich confided, "It made me think about the happier moments we had shared in the department."

Then when the time came to dedicate his memorial, Mr. Orlich sent out invitations to members of the Smith family, to fellow faculty members, to members of the Chess Club, and to members of the LW student body as well. All came and gathered in the library, around the tribute Mr. Orlich had dedicated to Jon Smith.

Later, Mr. Orlich said that he was glad that so many had come, that so many had remembered.

For Jon Smith had been a teacher, one of our own. And he had, also, been George Orliches' friend. Both men had found a common denominator between them.

Perhaps in the end, some of us hope that we will have a friend, like George Orlich, who will remember us too.

— Andre Jarrett —



Rodolfo Aroc, math
Sarah Boyajian, science
Mary Bradford, business
Ralph Brasaemle, social studies
Edward Brown, physical education



Gino Burelli, art
Pauline Burelli, Quest, photography
Earline Campbell, Quest, health, safety
Teresa Cecil, special education
Nancy Chelminiak, hearing impaired

Jack Chidsey, guidance
Paul Chilson, music
Maxine Ciminillo, home economics
Veronica Conde, multi-lingual
Mildrene Conwell, social studies

Gloria Cotten, English
Sondra Craig, English
Sgt. Bryant Crenshaw, ROTC
Eleanor Dailey, English
Karen Danko, English

Linda Davis, math
Clarence Day, physical education
Edward Deitsch, math
Mary DeLoach, French
Mario Dongu, social studies

Olga Dotlich, physical education
Sheila Eggleston, specail education
Bettye Eichelberger, business
Irwin Elser, art
Mike Foley, social studies



SECRETARIES

Front Row: Evelyne Burrows, Elsie Shelbourne, Eileen Vance. **Back Row:** Tulla Sakes, Cordia Brown, Marvelene Carter, Gloria Sepulveda.





John Freitag, social worker
Sherrie Gardner, special education
Pauline Gerbick, business
Gardest Gillespie, VICA
Alma Gray, music

Frank Grego, special education
Yolanda Hall, science
Angela Hannagan, English
Sgt. James Herring, ROTC
James Hill, math

Joann Hill, math
Lawrence Hinken, math
Sgt. Carol Hoffman, ROTC
Vera Hooper, reading
Jacqueline Hughes, DECA

Ruth Hunt, English
Patricia Hussey, social worker
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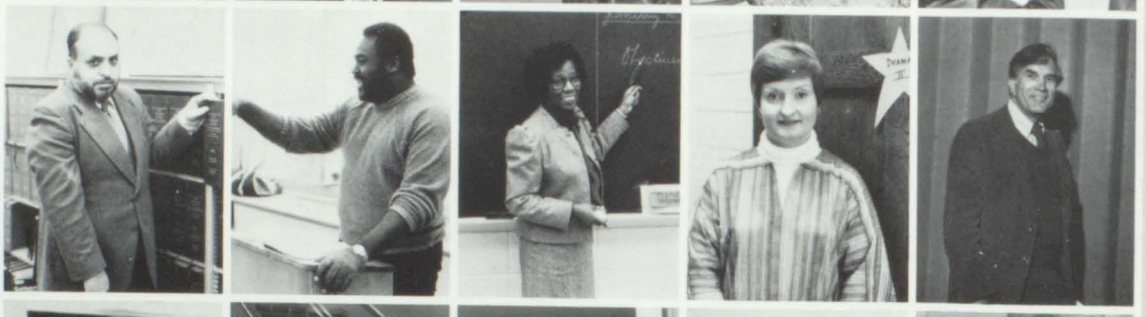
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Marvin Kasrich, math
Stanley Keller, science, math
Dorothy Kouvelas, world civilization



William Kukoy, physical education
Marilyn Leach, physical education
Olive Leskow, computer, math
Helen Lorandos, business
Hollie Martin, special education



Bashir Masoodi, visually impaired
James McDonald, special education
Imogene McMurtrey, co-op
Linda Mills, speech, drama
Elmer Molchan, guidance director



Kenneth Moreton, industrial arts
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George Orlich, math



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Charlotte Mesich, Michael Reese, James Nelson.





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Nancy Piazza, multi-lingual
Paul Pieroni, social studies
Henry Pimentel, Spanish
Katherine Polster, visually impaired

Margaret Read, home economics
Lillian Roberts, world civilization
John Russell, social studies
Richard Scheub, audio visual
Howard Schmid, social studies

David Schoon, science
Janet Sefton, English, journalism
Mary Sewell, guidance
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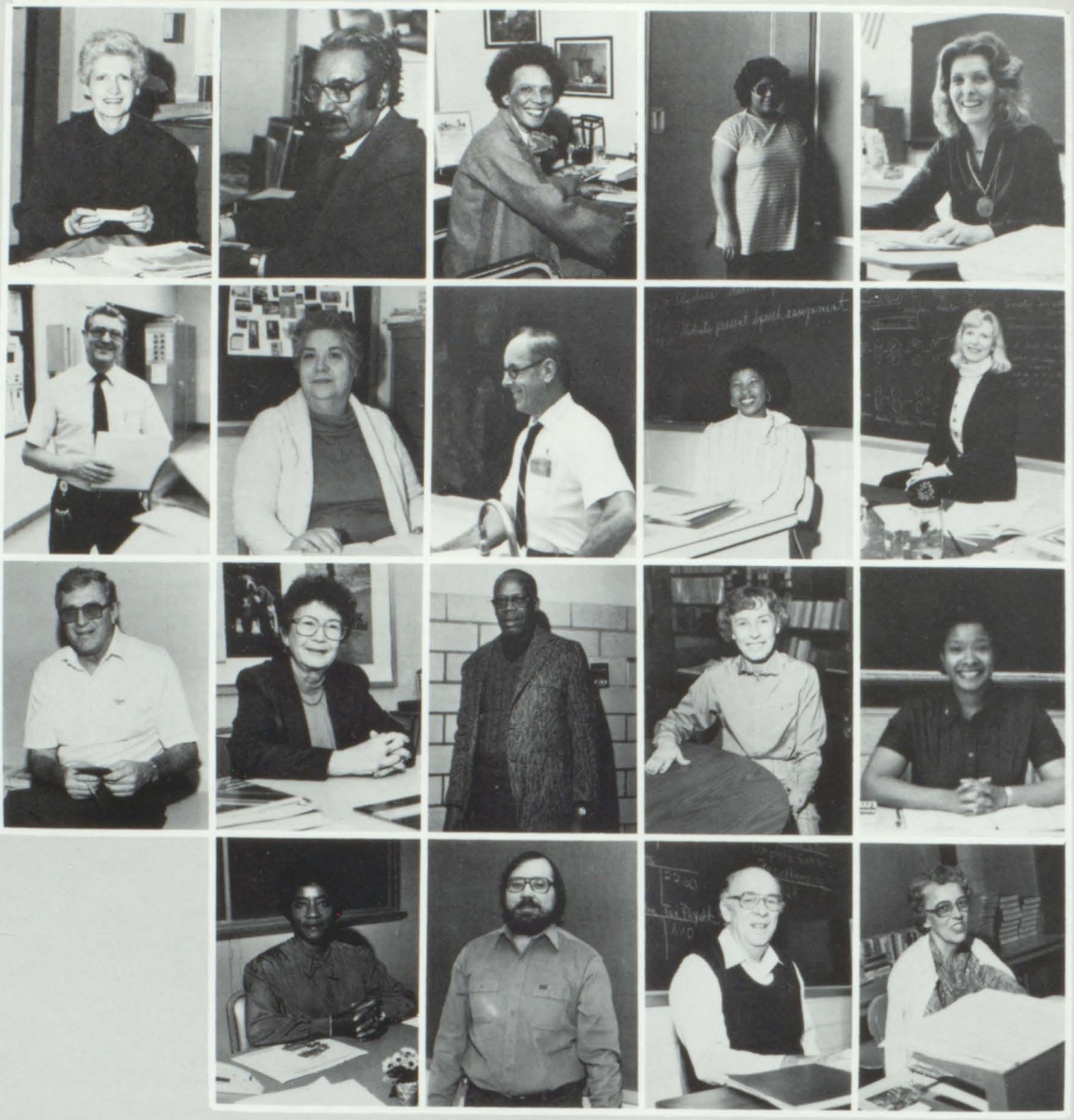
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Maxine Thomas, Basic Skills Coordinator
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Carmen Valle, Spanish
Ernest Vereb, science
Alma Walker, speech
Nancy Walls, science

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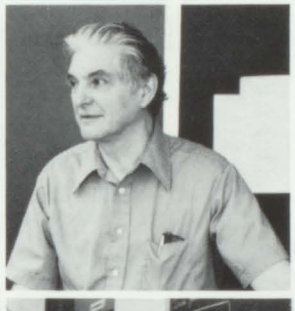
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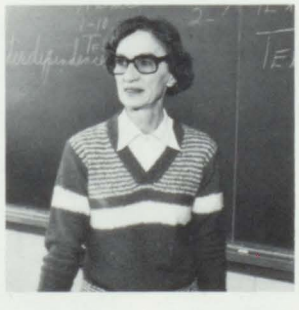









"Tell them so long"

"So long," and then they were gone. They had walked through the double doors of the school for the very last time. Some had looked back briefly, some had not, for whatever their reasons.

Each carried with him, however, the baggage of experience earned and the stacks of memories saved. They were the survivors, the venerable ones.

Ms. Olive Leskow, math teacher, now newly retired, and William Yates, business teacher now retired, were two who had looked back. Ms. Leskow preferred to remember the good students, like Amy Pruit, now a neurologist, and like Bob Jancik, now a computer analysist — because they had been two of hers and because she had touched their lives. Mr. Yates, also, thought a bit about some of his former students, about all those who had made good in the real world out there, but most of all his thoughts were about his wife and about their lives ahead.

Mrs. Sarah Boyajian, science teacher now retired, looked back too. She wanted to remember those who were so special to her: people like Lola Lemon, whom she had thought was a beautiful lady and teacher; Ed Deitch, who was always there when she couldn't be; George Orlich, who had been the founding father of her beloved CLASS; Maxine Ciminillo, who had been such a dear friend; and Howard King, who had been both mentor and benefactor.

Coach Clarence Day, now retired and teaching veteran of 35 years, and had gone along with the others, feeling mostly good inside. He felt glad about having been elected to Indiana baseball's Two Hundred Club and about having won the basketball sectionals. He was proud, too, to have had his first authored book, entitled *Hodio,* published. He was, indeed, looking forward to a good retirement at home.

Mr. George Orlich, a retired math teacher now, also, walked along side the rest; and like Coach Day, he had had some good memories. He could remember his ten years as Evening School principal, his seven years as Student Council sponsor, his four years as Honor Society sponsor, and his stint as founding father of the CLASS program, thirty-one years all totaled — a lifetime of dedication and of outstanding service to the field of education.

Mrs. Helen Mosier, physical education teacher and retired, too, closed the school doors behind her for the final time. She left feeling confident that those she had left behind could become somebody if they really tried. She even remembered an old, familiar quote, something Horace Mann once said, "... do the best you can."

And so, like the legendary "long, gray line" of West Point, they had stood, withstood, and vanished, along with those who had gone before them. But they had left behind much, these twelve, perhaps much more than either they or we realize. Twelve strong, these soldiers, and in the flicker of an eye, the Old Guard was gone.

Retiries — At Top: Sara Boyjian, Ralph Brasaemle, Clarence Day, Harold Jones, Olive Leskow, Helen Mosier, George Orlich, Paul Pieroni, Herman Shelby, Richard Stewart, Jane Sulewski, Robert Yates.



Freshmen ride easy

Being a frosh, as usual, isn't easy. It's more like being hogtied to an uneasy rope. "Always being put down is one thing we really hate," said Tomika Johnson.

Yet most freshmen know deep down that this, too, would pass. And, believe it or not, some frosh actually did some things to cheer about. Nearly all of them, like Terry Dunnigan and Nicole Zomanty, survived orientation.

The freshmen class elected its officers too: Isham Bennet, president; Jeanne Kimble, vice-president; Nicole Wardlaw, secretary; Tina McIntee, treasurer; and Raquel Washington, Ora Mae Leach, and David Turpin, representatives.

The Freshmen Football Team took All-city, and frosh Jerome Harmon actually started on the varsity squad.

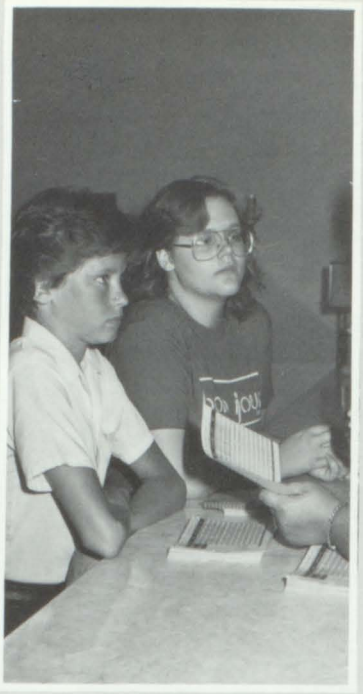
Even the freshmen car looked like a hot item in the homecoming parade.

So it all goes to show that sometimes even a freshman can come out looking like a winner.

— Keith Mott —







John Adams
Katrice Adams
Latanza Akins
Tina Aleman
Arfoydra Alexander
Michell Allen
Rieva Allen

Dwayne Amos
Denise Anders
James Anderson
Ronald Anderson
Willie Anderson
Yolanda Anderson
Bobby Archie

Sabrena Ashford
Mark Arms
Roger Austin
Demetria Bailey
James Barefield
Rhonda Barnes
Martha Barnett

Ronnie Barry
Isham Bennett
Michelle Benton
Nena Berry
Barbara Billingsley
Nichole Bowman
Jannice Bradley

William Bradley
Delroy Bridgeman
Allen Brighom
Norma Britton
Sherita Brodie
Arthur Brown
Robert Brown

Denise Buchko
Jimmy Buggs
Benny Bullock
Dywone Bunkley
Lori Burl
James Butts
Beverly Byndum





Darrell Cain
Robert Campbell
Teresa Campbell
Gregory Carbins
Bridgette Carlisle
Edwin Carreno
Joey Carter

John Carter
Lawanda Carter
Reginald Carter
Sonya Carter
Kevin Champion
Latonya Clay
Shawn Clinningham

Steven Collyear
Fredric Cooper
Raelynn Costello
Geraldine Cox
Omega Crawford
Lance Curry
Darin Dabdee

Lisa Davis
Juan Dejesus
Todd Delaney
Christine Deleon
Nellie Delvalle
Minnie Dennis
James Dix

Tammy Doby
David Dominguez
Willie Donald
Yenessa Donaldson
Briean Dorsey
Cheryl Dugan
Terry Dumigan

Tara Dunn
Kim Durham
John Dusard
Sharon Ehrhart
Victoria Emery
Frank Espinoza
Evans Edward

Latwaina Evans
Donald Ferguson
Norris Fields
Michelle Fisher
Edwin Fontanez
Susie Fortenberry
Tina Cox

Dorothy Franklin
Sherry Frazier
Angel Frederick
Sheila Freeman
Tonia Freeman
Lisa Frison
Marilyn Fuller

Nadia Gabriel
Ramzi Gabriel
Sam Gabriel
Darnetta Gamble
Terry Gearld
Alice Gibson
Erica Gibson

Norman Ginn
Bobby Glenn
Tiwanda Glover
Carl Golden
Doris Gooden
Charles Grand
Gerry Gray

Ledrew Gray
Sonya Gray
Latonya Green
Samantha Griffin
Sylvester Glinn
Nancy Gutierrez
Tracy Hall

Tanya Hamilton
Redia Harden
Ursula Hargrove
Jerome Harmon
Bryan Harris
David Harris
Lenore Harris

Regnald Harris
James Harrison
Renwick Harville
Junita Hawkins
Janice Haymon
Ronald Haynes
Tamika Haynes

Darling Henderson
James Henderson
Schelunda Herron
Jeff Hesting
Chris Hickel
Alvin Hill
Bryant Hill

Latrece Hill
Chanteel Hinton
Kim Hodges
Kenneth Hooks
Marc Hopkins
Erina Hornak
Tonya Howard

James Hughes
Jason Hurd
Yvonne Irving
Arnita Jackson
Juanita Jackson
Anthony Jefferson
Katrina Jefferson

Robin Jelks
Julia Jimenez
Anthony Johnson
Demerrise Johnson
Marko Johnson
Larry Johnson
Tomika Johnson

Vernita Johnson
Vitino Johnson
Che Jones
Dimonique Jones
Harold Jones
Jason Jones
Sonja Jones

Angela Jordan
Shelby Jones
Daniel Jordan
Delores Jordan
Greg Jordan
Cornelius Joseph
Christina Joyce



Taylor Juntous
Yoti Kale
Angela Kelly
Walter Kelly
Nicole Keys
Janene Kimble



Donald Kimp
Kimberly Kirkland
Thomas Kirklen
David Lampkin
Anthony Lampley
Tyrone Lane
Latonya Lawrence

Ora Mae Leach
Frank Leavy
David Lee
Jimmy Lee
JoAnita Lee
Roxane Lee
Stephen Lee

Tracie Lee
Gwendolyn LeFlore
Michelle Leon
Tarji Leonard
Preston Lewis
Leeanna Lloyd
Terrance Logan

Robin Long
Leonard Love
Eric Lowe
Sabrina Lowery
Barbara Lozanovskl
Jerome Lynch
Celesia Madyun

Shawn Magee
Carmelila Mangual
Thoenicia Martin
Anthony Martinez
Adrian Mason
Angela Mathis
Kevin Matthews

Scott Mauseth
Matthew Maxwell
Tralonda Maxwell
Quinnesia Mayfield
Ray McCants
Cynthia McClain
Lee McClain

Marlene McClatchey
Michael McCullough
Antwion Mcgee
Tina McIntee
James McWilliams
Ana Melendez
Alton Mercer

Evelyn Miller
Joy Miller
Robert Miller
Robert Miller
Sidney Miller
Gale Mitchell
Daniel Montgomery

Brian Moore
Lorrell Moore
Patrick Moore
Sidney Moore
Cassandra Morgan
Angalee Morris
Sean Morris

Torin Morris
Shunda Mosby
Keith Mott
Ivette Muniz
Tamia Murrell
Michelle Murry
Andre Myles

Lewis Neal
Bryan Neeley
Monifa Nelson
Aneta Neskoska
Steven Newbern
Patricia Newson
Marquis Nichols

Clement Nevers
Clara Nnadi
Pamela Norman
Felicia Nunn
Kimberly Olive
Laronna Otis
Marlene Owens

Stacy Owens
Sullivan Owens
Anthony Palm
Chermaine Palmer
Tanya Patterson
Scotty Paul
Tony Perkins

Arian Peterson
Chris Peterson
Devida Pettigrew
Ray Phillips
Charles Pickering
Kelvin Pirtle
Latanza Plummer

Jacinta Polk
Willie Porter
Keshia Rashada
Jesse Reed
Patria Reid
Bobby Richards
Windy Richards

Francine Richardson
Ben Richmond
Robert Richmond
Jackie Roberson
Kevin Robertson
Kevin Robinson
Kenya Robinson

Leander Robinson
Stephanie Rodgers
Alfonso Rodgiguez
George Rogers
Recardo Roland
Haywood Roper
Derrick Rowe

Teresa Rumph
Denise Ruzbasan
Earl Ryan
Stephanie Spencer
Anthony Spires
Calvin Sprouse
Carolyn Sprouse

Leslie Salas
Phetondon Sanavongsay
Tabatha Seay
Norma Serrano
Constance Sessions
Tom Shebat
Hope Sherman

Reggie Steele
Yvette Stephens
Angela Stewart
Paul Stewart
Willetta Stingley
Saadia Stroder
Mary Strope





Laurie Simmons
Erik Sistrunk
Charles Smith
Christopher Smith
Dayna Smith
Joseph Smith
Kenneth Smith

Pheron Smith
Ranquel Smith
Roshanta Smith
Saul Smith
Willie Smith
Jacqueline Spencer
Jeanea Talley

Alesiae Tampkins
Derrick Taylor
JoAnn Taylor
Mike Taylor
Kim Temple
Twylla Terry
Anna Thomas

Cameron Thomas
Denise Thomas
Despina Thomas
Melanie Thomas
Simery Thomas
Theodore Thompson
Johnny Thornton

Curtis Tinner
Taleria Topps
Michael Toney
Cynthia Torres
Richard Torres
Mitrigce Trimble
Floretta Triplett

Kent Tryon
John Turner
David Turpin
Tracy Vaughan
LaWanda Walden
James Walton
John Ward

Nicole Wardlaw
Gail Washington
Raqual Washington
Travis Wasker
Angelia Watson
Stephen Webb
Angelica Weekley

Carl West
Gregory West
Francine Whitaker
Angela White
Todd White
Darryl Wilks
Dennise Williams

Jackie Williams
Jimmie Williams
Julius Williams
Kim Williams
LaTasha Williams
Leonard Williams
Shannyn Williams

Valerie Williams
Corey Williamson
Anthony Wilson
Danny Wilson
Iris Wright
Mike Zanders
Manuel Zepeda

Sophs show class act

Evidently believing in the proverbial saying that there is strength in numbers, members of the Class of '86 really had their acts together this year. Displaying an unusually cooperative spirit, they came out looking very much like winners.

During the football homecoming pep rally, reverberating in earjamming unison, they impressed the faculty judges enough with their spirited foot stomping and chanting to win the coveted Spirit Stick, much to the dismay and chagrin of the senior class.

Also, aided by the hard work of their elected Student Council officers and representatives, the sophomore class additionally won the Best Float Award in the homecoming parade.

They were really a spirited bunch, this group of sophomores. May they continue to hold their banner high!



Pictured are this year's sophomore class officers: Ian McElroy, president; Brian Richardson, vice-president; LaToria Lynch, secretary; and Telicia Lewis, treasurer.

Yvonne Abel
Michelle Adams
Shannon Adkins
Ditanial Albert
Lawanna Albert
Onuesbu Alexander
Merchell Allen

Alchris Anderson
Dennis Anderson
Nenah Anderson
Roberta Andrews
Latonya Archie
Jose Arismendi
Nahoum Ascar

Jennifer Ash
Joseph Auguano
Mario Auguano
Renee Ayala
Mclaine Baker
Richard Barksdale
Camille Barnes

Sharlene Barnes
Cecil Bates
Vincent Beckwith
Yolanda Belyeu
Renee Bennett
Zoe Benyoun
Ernest Berry

LaShon Blair
Shellie Blown
Joe Bodo
Randy Boone
Darryl Branham
Jessie Brodie
Stanley Brooks

Carmen Brown
Pamela Brown
Steve Brown
Willie Brown
Nicole Browne
Dionne Brumfield
Lori Burnett





Ronald Burns
Carmelle Bush
Gerald Byndum
Frederick Cain
Elana Cannon
Tracy Carpenter
Ricky Carter

Rodney Carter
Michael Cenko
Lisa Chavez
Christine Cherry
Christee Chester
Shandra Cofield
Ivan Colbert

Mark Cole
Stanley Coles
Brian Cooper
Eliezer Cruz
Kenneth Cunningham
Kenya Cunningham
Sharon Davis

Michael Davis
Neeshonah Davis
Tamiko Donalson
Lavetta Draine
Johnnie DuBose
Attwood Duncan
Tracie Ellis

Elijha English
Andrew Evans
Rhonda Evans
Trina Evans
Phillip Felton
Darwin Ferguson
Derek Ferguson

Nino Ferlaino
Darryl Fields
Joaquin Flores
Doris Freeman
Terry Futrell
Alicia Fair
Mellonee Gardner

Christopher Garver
Yolanda Gates
Angela Gault
Gina Gault,
Eric Gipson
Saunte Gleason
LaDonna Glover

Gregory Goodman
Angel Gonzales
David Goshay
Albert Grant
Briant Graves
Micheal Green
Cherese Gregory

Veronica Grubbs
Anna Hall
Carl Harris
Thomas Hamer
Charles Hampton
Gregory Harris
Valentina Harris

Leon Hartfield
LaDonna Harvey
Maria Hawkins
Necole Hawkins
Terrence Hawkins
Jason Hayden
Jerome Hayes

Anthony Haymond
Joyce Haymond
Randall Haynes
Michelle Heard
Harriet Hemphill
Michael Hess
Tommy Hess

Melissa Hicks
David Hodge
James Hogan
Ellery Holsey
Rozena Hunter
Carla Jackson
Denetta Jackson

Lynnette Jackson
Lisa Jackson
John Jamka
Mark Jelks
Sylvia Jimenez
Allison Johnson
David Johnson

Joe Johnson
Kevin Johnson
Michelle Johnson
Sandra Johnson
William Johnson
Beverly Joiner
Aretha Jones

Anthony Jones
Arlisher Jones
Carl Jones
Steven Jones
William Jones
Arneice Jordan
Mary Joyner

Darryl Kenney
Debbie Kimp
Carolyn King
Elizabeth King
Gettina King
Taiwan King
Rodney Kirkland

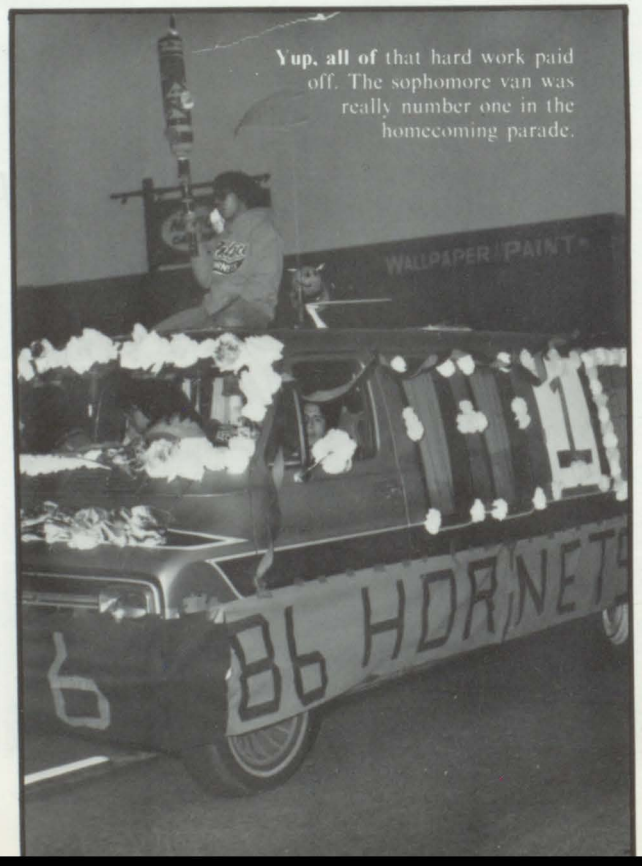
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Jody Latham
Sharyn Lattimore

Wanda Lawson
Maurice Leach
Frank Leavy

Stephanie Ledbetter
LaShaun Lee
Rodney Lee

Dawn Lenzo
Telicia Lewis
Robin Lloyd





Yup, all of that hard work paid off. The sophomore van was really number one in the homecoming parade.



Lorrell Moore
Antri Mable
Lisa Mabon
Armando Magana
Sabrina Magee
Benjamin Mance
Cynthia Marshall

Dale Marshall
Brian Marthell
Juan Martinez
Priscilla Martinez
William Mason
LaTanya Mathews
Lita McClendon

Felicia McDaniels
Ian McElroy
Anthony McFarland
Michael McGee
Gailend McIntosh
Michelle Mintosh
Yolanda McKee

Victoria McKinley
Elliott McNeal
Tanya Meredith
Natalie Merriweather
Angela Meyer
Derrick Miller
Franklin Milledge

Sidney Miller
Anthony Mitchell
Gregory Mokol
Larry Monacy
Cheryl Moore
Dereek Moss
Gloria Moss

Cornell Mabbell
Elizabeth Muniz
Richard Muniz
Marina Nakovska
Derrick Nash
Kent Navarro
Terry Neal

Deborah Nelson
Sherell Overall
Dane Parks
Vernon Patton
Frenchie Payne
Grace Pearson
Bob Peloski

Joe Peluyera
Terrance Pendleton
Raul Perez
Phillip Perdue
Jon Peters
Bernard Peterson
Anquinek Pierce

Poole Saudia
Vernon Portis
Ingrid Powell
Tracy Powell
Rose Radziewicz
Carlos Ramos
Christopher Ramos

Michael Redding
Latrice Reese
Louis Reese
Tyrone Reese
Cavin Rhymes
Latrice Rhymes
Brian Richardson

James Richardson
Cynthia Riley
Ursula Riley

John Rivera
Santiago Rivera
Lee Robinson

Cheryl Robinson
Juanita Robinson
Kevin Robinson

Tracy Robinson
Annie Roberson
Taffey Roland

Traci Ross
Audrey
Russell
Evish Russell
David Salinas
Khamsabeth Sanavongsay
Monique Sanders
Christine Santos

John Savant
Stacy Scales
David Scott
Aldridge Seay
Trevor Selmer
Susan Serrano
Kim Shadrick

Thaddeus Shelton
Brent Sims
Shawn Sistrunk
Andrew Smith
Lalita Smith
LaShawn Smith
Mark Smith

Sherita Smith
Sonya Smith
Tonya Springifld
Lamanion Sparks
Jerome Spencer
Kathy Spencer
Patricia Steele

Derrick Stingley
Delroye Stoner
Cykethia Strickland
Janice Strope
Cornell Summers
Sabrina Summers
Charmal Surney

Karl Sutherland
Glenda Swain
Ray Talley
Christopher Tate
Shirlene Tate
Kim Taylor
John Taylor



You tell us. Do these sophomores mix and match? Do they have the spirit!

Jarrett



John Teer
Sharron Thigpen
Alvin Thomas
Sonya Thomas
Vanessa Thomas
Angela Toney
Patrick Torres

Eric Torres
Mark Triplett
Roxie Turner
Thomas Vanish
Charles Vinson
Lloyd Vinson
Charles Vorice

Mark Walker
Lawanda Warnsley
Kristyn Washington
Melvin Washington
Russell Watkins
Marie Watson
Steve Wenzel

Helen West
Tracey White
Bruce Wiggins
Angela Wilbon
Gesselle Williams
Henry Williams
James Williams

Theodore Wilusz
William Winston
Michelle Williams
Mavis Williams
Yolanda Williams
Michael Willis
Tonya Woodley

Curtis Woods
Kenneth Woodson
Tammi Woods
Rochelle Wright
Willie Yates
Robert Young
Gregory Youngblood

Ken Zale
Tracy Zomanty

Go fer it, Brian!

Some people have it and some don't. Whatever "it" is, it spurs on some to go that extra mile, to have whatever it takes, and to come out feeling like a winner.

Sophomore Brian Richardson, standing next to his sister Edwina Richardson, junior, has it. He has that special spark that makes him stand out from the crowd. He is someone who really believes that a person, like himself, can be as much as he wants in life.

Brian is truly an activist. Not only is he sophomore class vice-president, but is active in cross country, track, tennis, and wrestling. He even has a certificate awarded to him for his efforts in French Club to boot.

Brian is a mover by gum. He is a real doer. Just think. What would LW and this world be like if we had more Brian Richardsons?



Juniors are electric

When in school, exactly what do juniors do? Well, first four junior girls got themselves elected class officers: Carlita Elston, president; Kim Robinson, vice-president; Denise Davis, secretary; and Sonya Carter, treasurer.

Secondly, super-junior Roderick Frazier was elected president of Student Council. Junior Anitra Tarver was elected Student Council secretary as well.

Then the Drill Team, with mucho juniors, on it, took first place in this year's city-wide competition. And Anitra was further nominated as ROTC commander for next year.

Juniors, also, sponsored a Splash Party, headed by Carlita Elston and Micha King, both juniors of course.

Perhaps Anitra summed it all up real well when she said, "I just can't wait until next year when I'm a senior!"





Tracey Adams
Lisa Alford
Charles Armour
Keith Armstrong
Larry Atkins
Francisco Avila
Cassandra Barnes

Charles Barnes
Teria Barnett
Diana Barney
Marina Basaldua
Gwen Bates
Lisa Beasley
Margaret Beasley

Grady Belyeu
Julio Berrios
Jimmy Beverly
Vincent Billberry
Victor Billberry
Traci Bishop
Steve Blackwell

Alvin Booth
Wilbert Boyd
Lisa Brazelton
Curtis Brown
Katrina Brown
Marvin Brown
Mary Brown

Rodney Brown
John Broyles
Tanya Bryan
Crystal Burns
Connie Butts
Sherman Campbell
Sonya Carter

Katherine Caseay
Vicky Casko
Horace Cathey
Leslie Chambliss
Matthew Chavers
Astrid Chavez
Ramiro Chavez





Sharon Clark
Lalita Colbert
Lanita Coles
Dietra Collins
Tracy Collins
Angela Comsa
Earl Conley

Latonya Creal
Esther Cruz
Donald Cunegin
Ron Cunningham
Elizabeth Danko
Erica Davis
Kelley Davis

Kim Davis
Kim Davis
Michelle Davis
John Dawkins
Kelvin Dawson
Kenneth Dawson
Rose Deluna

Erik Delvale
Teresa Dennis
Dorothy Djordjevich
Rudy Djordjevich
Porfirio Dominguez
Albert Drake
Lewis Durham

Chioma Echeumuna
Quanica Ellis
Ryan Ellis
Calita Elston
Rhonda English
Dan Espinosa
Joanne Evans

Edwin Feliciano
Edwardo Flores
Susana Flores
Sherif Flournoy
Carmen Ford
Adam Franco
Roderick Frazier

Torrence Frazier
Latanya Fridge
Tim Fuller
Beverly Gamble
Gloria Garcia
Owana Gillum
Angelida Givens

Kevin Givens
David Glover
Michelle Gray
Franchet Green
Jeffrey Green
Marie Green
Mitchell Griffin

Sharon Griggs
Ronda Gross
Willie Hall
Curtis Hamlett
Edward Haney
John Hardaway
Carmen Hargrove

Tracey Harrington
David Harris
Jacqueline Harris
Regina Hawkins
Rafrel Hernandez
Patra Herren
Steve Hicks

Audra Hiller
Leon Hines
Valeha Hosey
Leanard Hunt
Delaine Hunter
Larry Hunter
Suzette Hunter

Jacqueline Jackson
Tabatha Jackson
Latanya Jenkins
Marianne Jernigan
Carl Johnson
Darryl Johnson
Eric Johnson

Glen Johnson
Jaleah Johnson
L'tanya Johnson
Susie Johnson
Tonda Johnson
Alonzo Jones
David Jones

Evelyn Jones
Reginald Jones
Elvin Joyce
Darryl Kenney
Charnell Kimble
Kenneth King
Tina Klebofski

Michael Lacy
David Lee
Laveda Le'sure
Dion Lewis
Michelle Lloyd
Trina Long
Joseph Lowe

Vincent Lowe
Nate Lowery
Rodney Mack
Jameelah Madyum
Pablo Magana
Margaret Mangual
Michael Manuel

Kecia Mark
Eddie Marthell
Ray Mason
Theodore Mathis
Marardo Marquez
Kathy McClendon
Angela McFall

Latonia McGhee
Irma Mejia
Diane Milan
Melissa Milburn
Darice Miller
Toy Miller
Alesia Minter

Ronald Mokol
Terry Molloy
Dwayne Momon
Delores Montez
Joseph Moore
Mary Ann Morales
Mercedes Morales

Vanessa Morgan
Marvin Morris
Carol Mosley
Susan Muchenburg
Vlado Naumoski
Kurt Navarro
Oraeth Olivarez





Roger O'Neal
Rosario Ornelas
Charlotte Parker
Anna Perez
Sameul Pearson
Agnes Peterson
Kelvin Phillips

Grant Pierce
Walter Pierce
Raymond Pleasant
Tammy Polk
Paul Posey
Nora Pulido
Israel Quinones

Renee Radford
Tomas Rangel
Denise Ricard
Edwina Richardson
Lanell Riley
Lisa Rios
John Rivera

What do juniors do? Louis White, for one, lolls in campus clover during noontime break.





Emanuetta Robertson
Dwanye Robinson
Kim Robinson
Samantha Robinson
Thomas Robinson
Yolanda Robinson
Acquanetta Rogers

Cherletta Rogers
Maria Romo
Kim Rondo
Winton Rouse
Mario Salas
Estella Santana
Yolanda Santiago

Blake Scott
Kenneth Scott
Lenora Sheppard
Judy Simmons
Lachery Sims
Margaret Shapley
Carla Smith

Bennea Smith
Eric Smith
Aurelia Spann
Frankie Spencer

Rodney Spencer
Dwayne Sprouse
Sharon Starkes
Charlene Steele

Pearline Steele
Mark Stoval
Christy Strope
Todd Tarbert

Anitra Tarver
Alfred Tate
Harold Tate
Lantionette Tate

Steven Tate
Archie Taylor
James Taylor
Jennifer Taylor

Michael Terek
Lisa Torres
Calvin Triplett
Lucinda Vanish
Kelvin Wade
Irvin Walker
Roy Walker

Shannon Walker
Yolonda Walker
Terrance Ware
Arnetth Warner
Marvin Washington
Sheila Watkins
Cheryl Watson

Garret Webb
Jane Webster
Brandon Wellons
Belinda Wellons
Louis K. White
Kelvin Wiley
William Wilkerson

Antoine Williamson
Darryl Williams
Kevin Williams
Leon Williams
Felix Willis
Felicia Wilson
Valerie Wilson

Yvette Winslett
Kevin Wright
Theresa Wynn
Tonya Young



What do juniors do? Like junior Daniel Espinosa, they fraternize with sophomores like Latonya Lofton, of course.



Multi-talented Becky King, senior, swings in a scene from "The Wiz," that she performed at West Side. Dancer, vocalist, and actress, Becky made her debute in the real world, too, as our own Miss Gary, a young hopeful whose glittering and rising star has just begun.

The way we were









Sometimes distance gives us a better understanding of ourselves. Time itself can be a sobering mirror that lets us look back at the way we were in '84.

1. Pictured at top left are some of the gang of '84. 2. Barron McClendon and Houston Leek, seniors, make for two popular noontime jammers. 3. Any time of the day is fair game for cuties, cool kids, and cut-ups. 4. Everyone in this year's senior class knows "Preach," who is really Lionel Jackson in disguise. 5. One senior season highlight was baccalaureate. "Hey! Hey! seemed to say Unme Thompson, or else its hay fever. 6. Charlie Salazar, the one with the shades, is an entertaining addition to the Class of '84's homecoming parade entry.





Michael Abad



Debbie Abram



Stacy Adams



Alice Alford



John Antosik



Adonis Arms



Marie Arnold



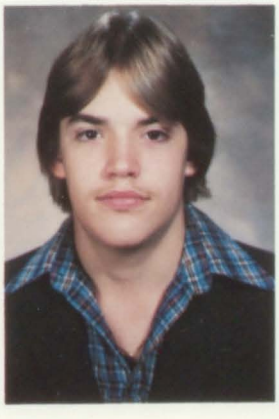
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Glory Barbee



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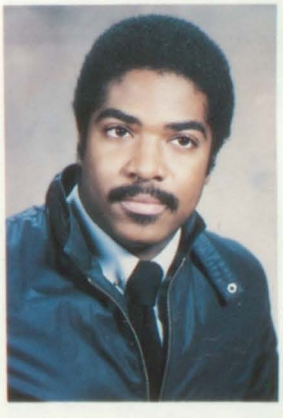
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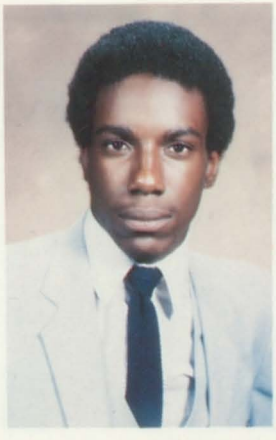
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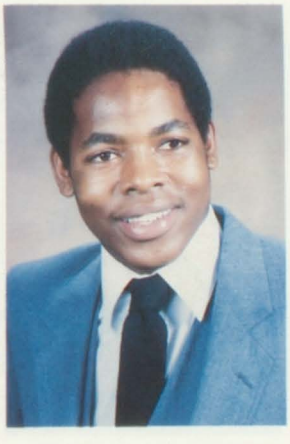
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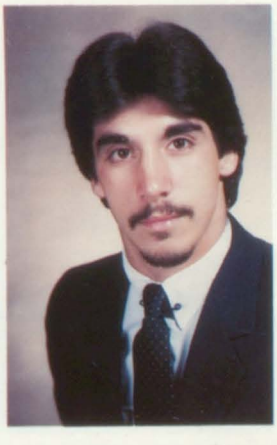
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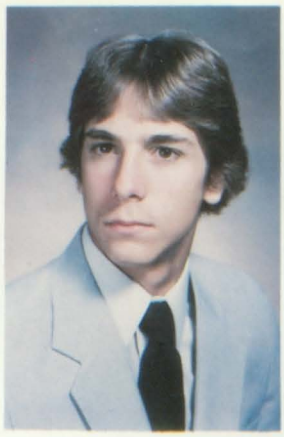
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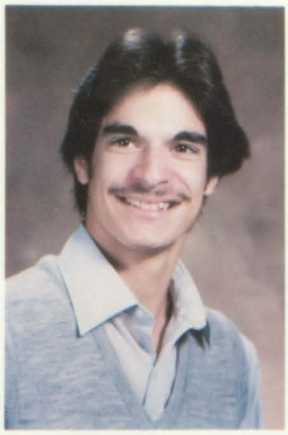
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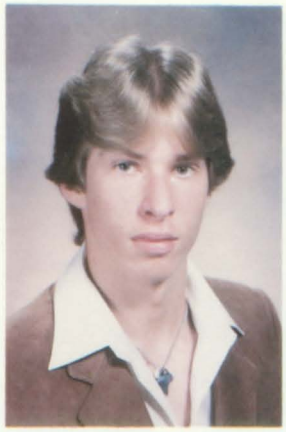
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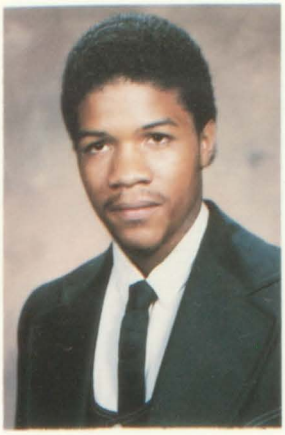
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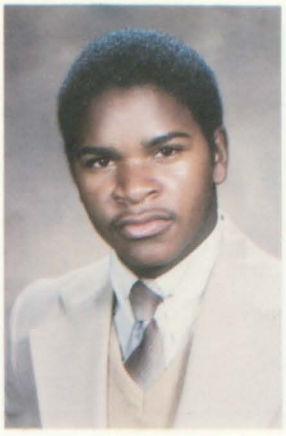
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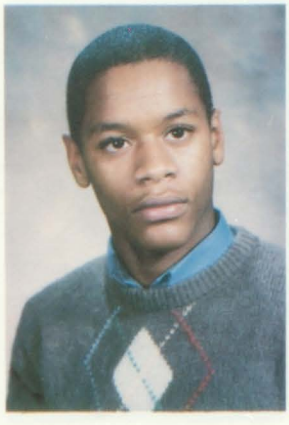
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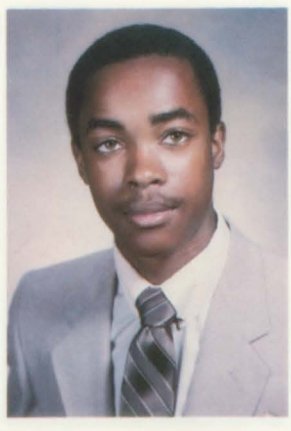
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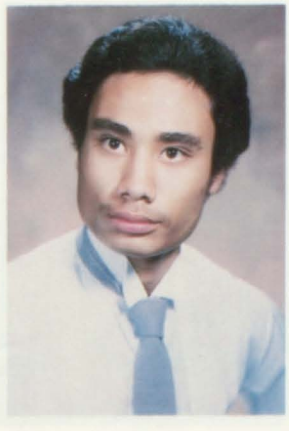
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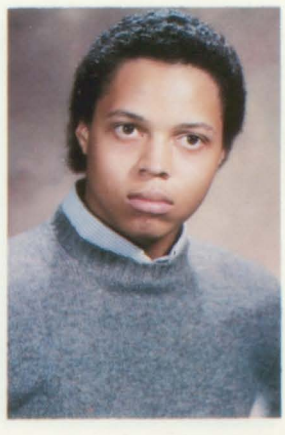
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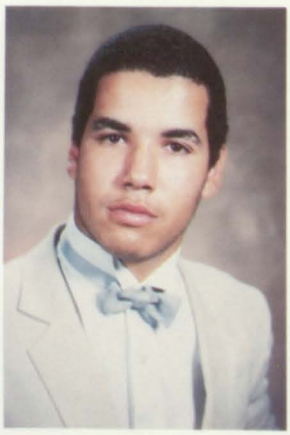
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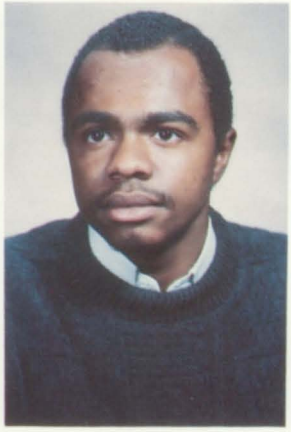
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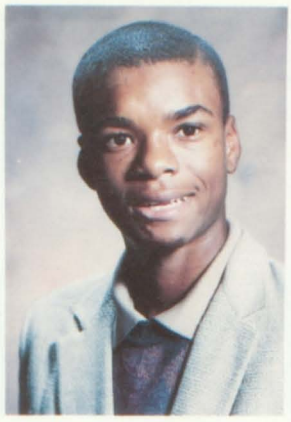
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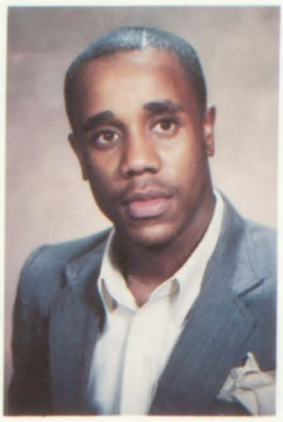
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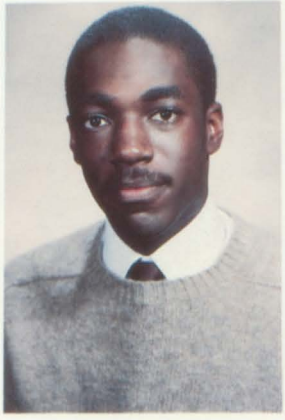
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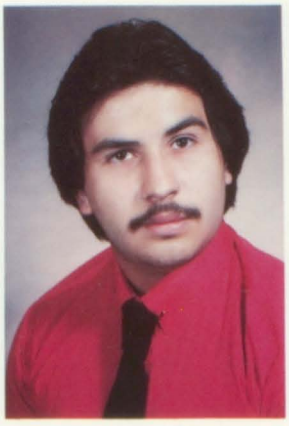
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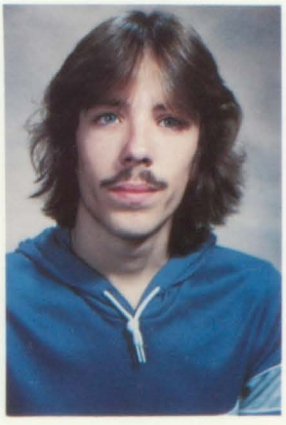
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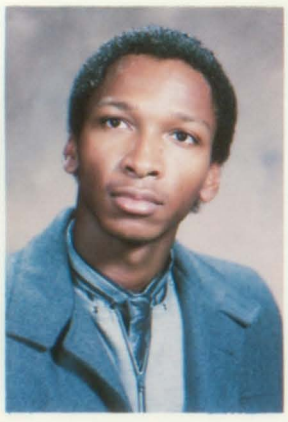
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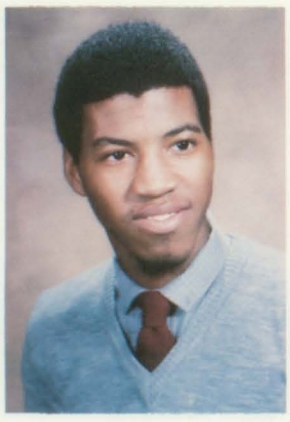
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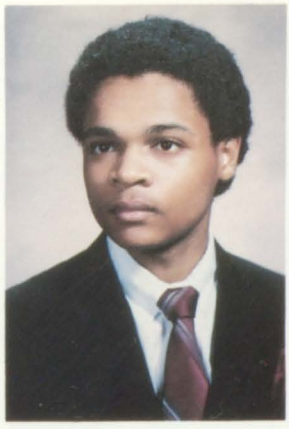
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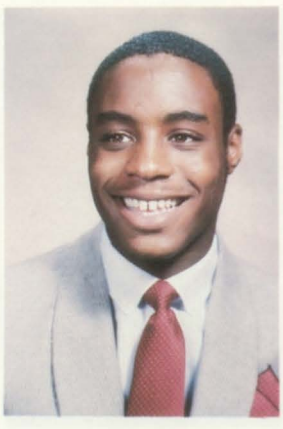
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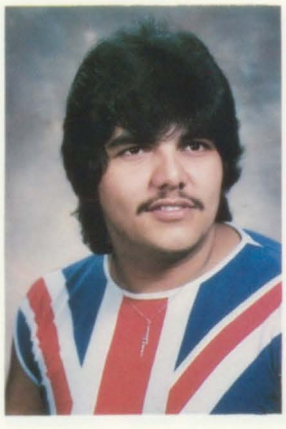
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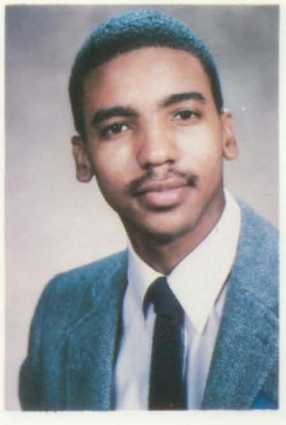
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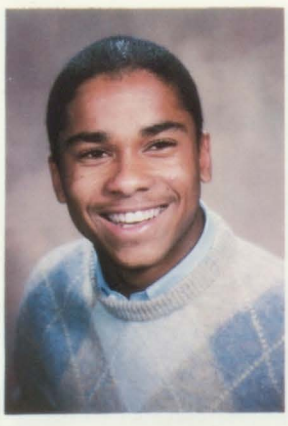
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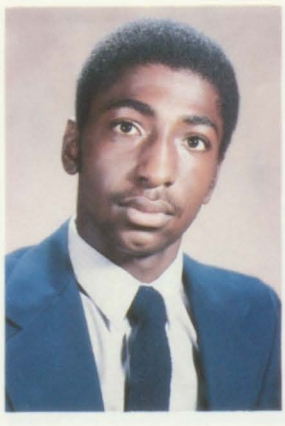
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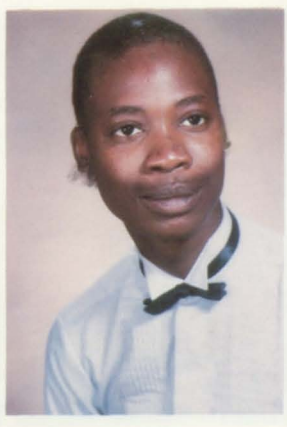
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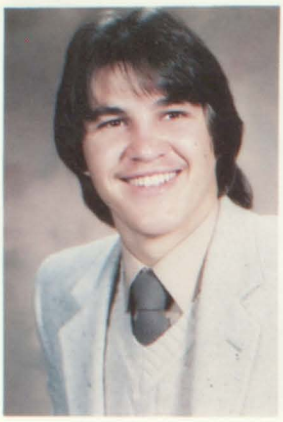
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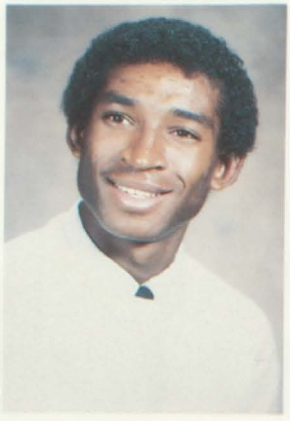
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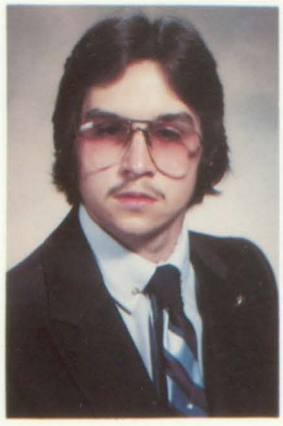
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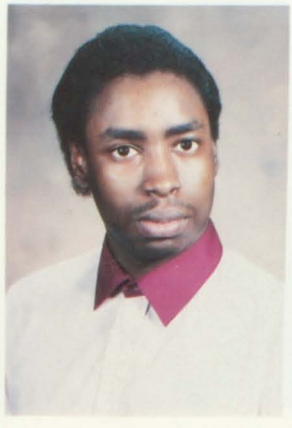
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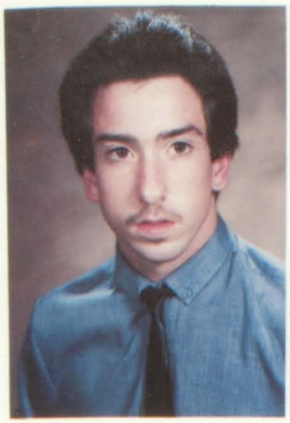
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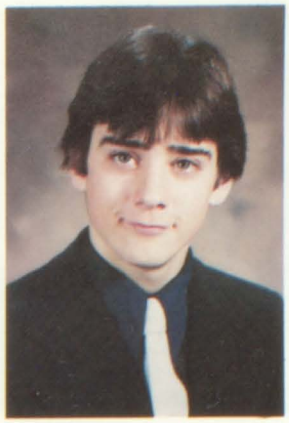
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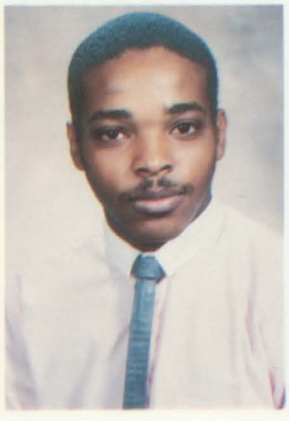
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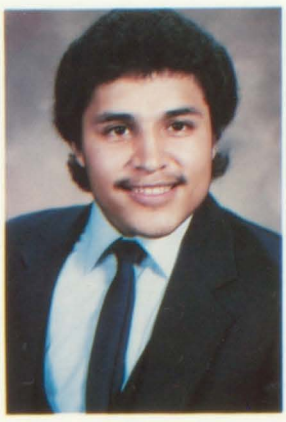
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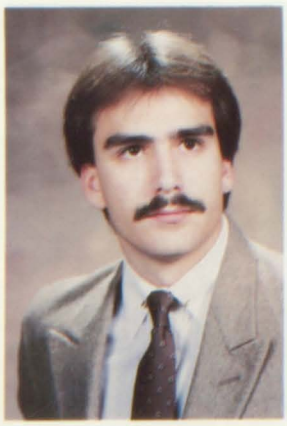
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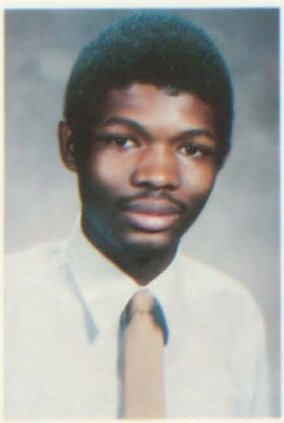
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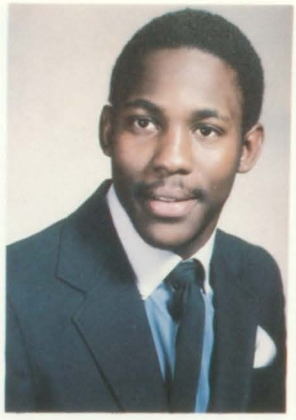
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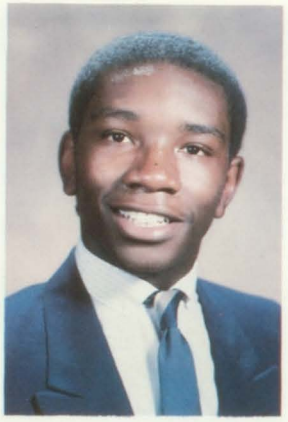
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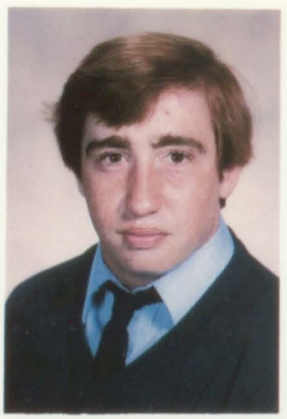
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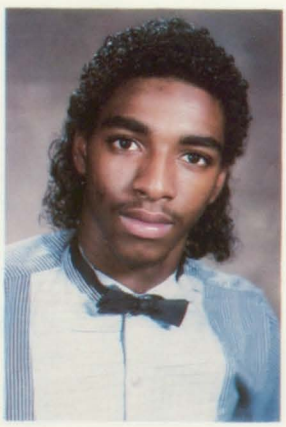
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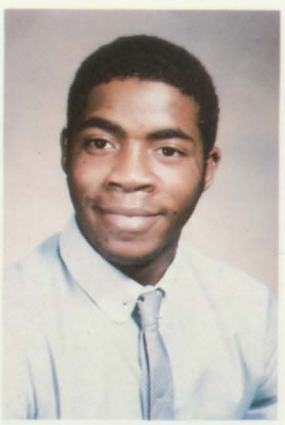
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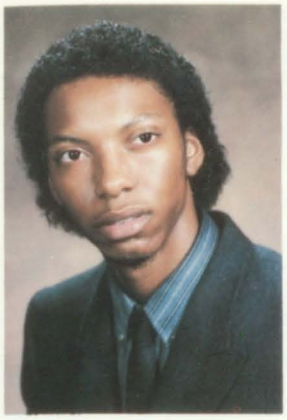
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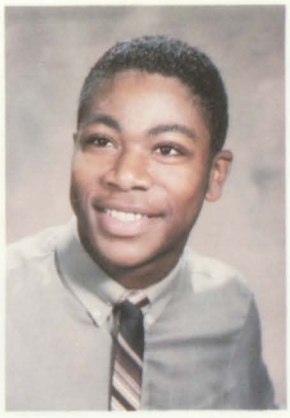
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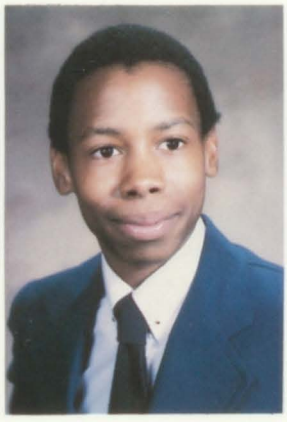
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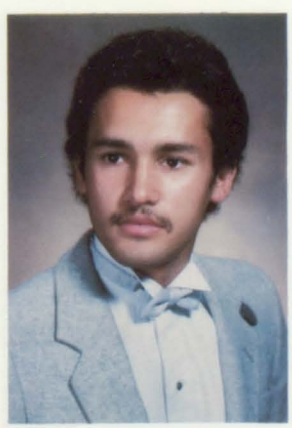
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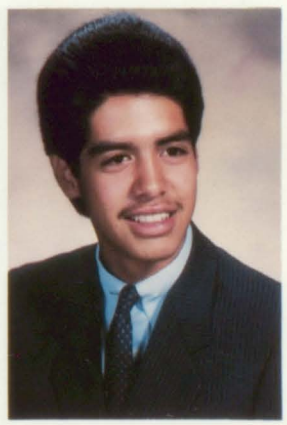
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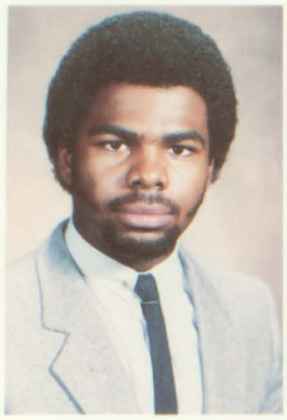
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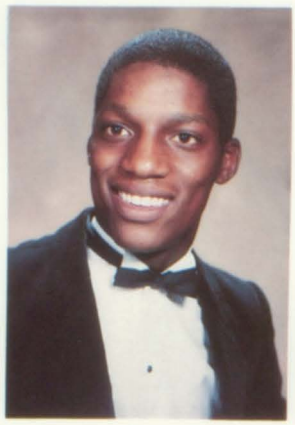
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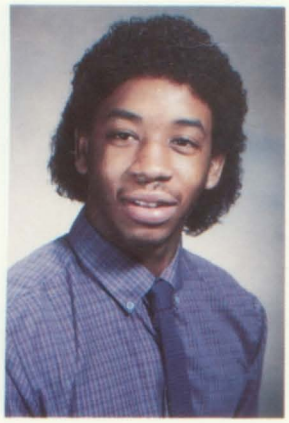
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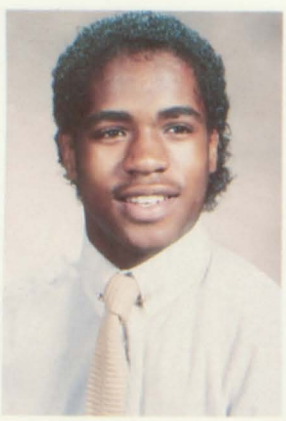
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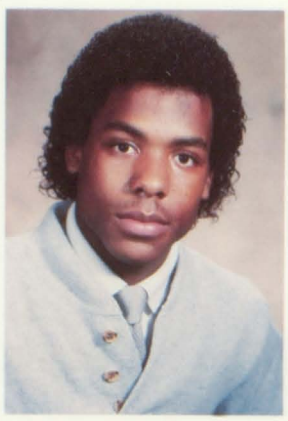
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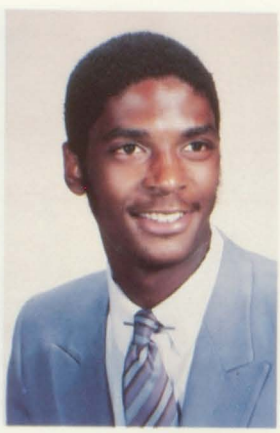
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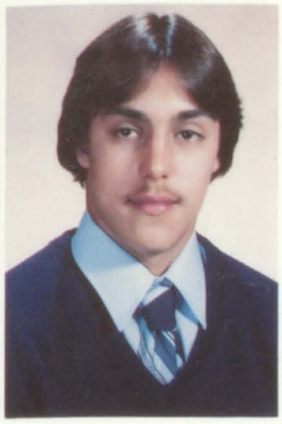
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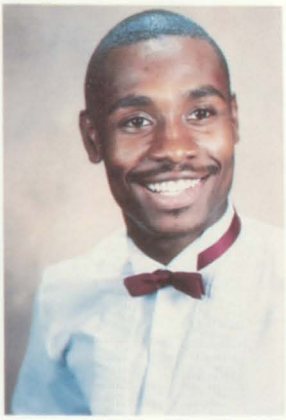
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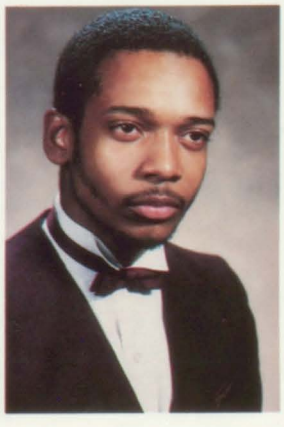
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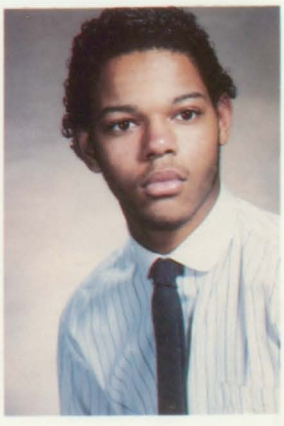
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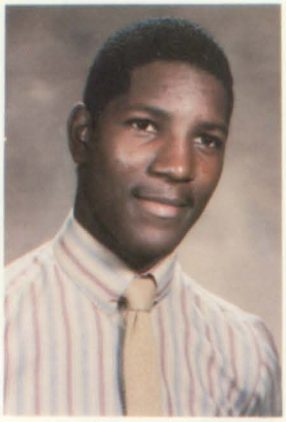
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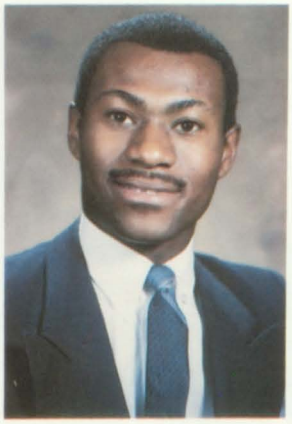
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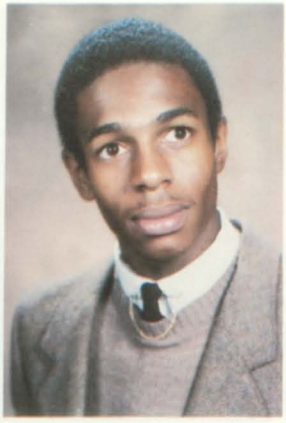
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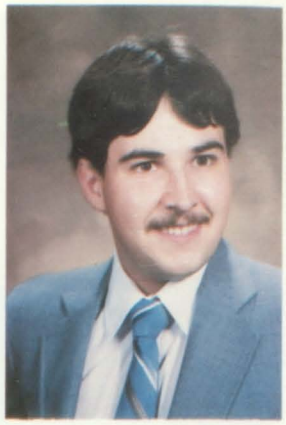
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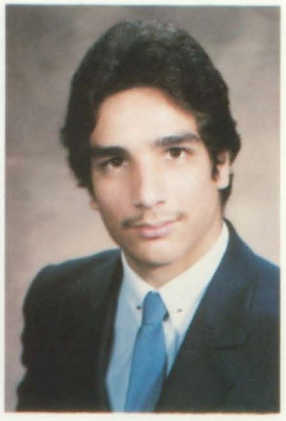
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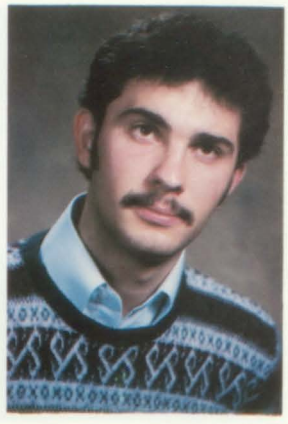
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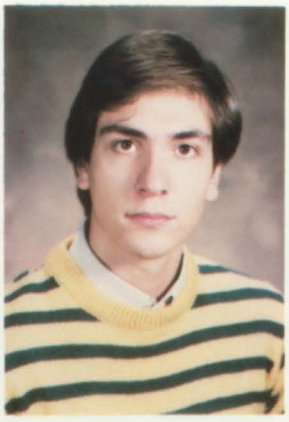
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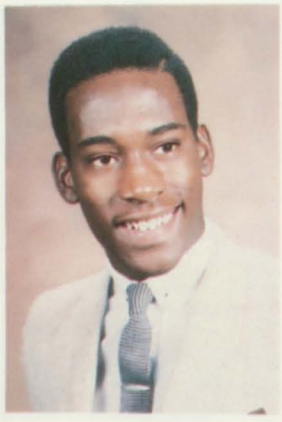
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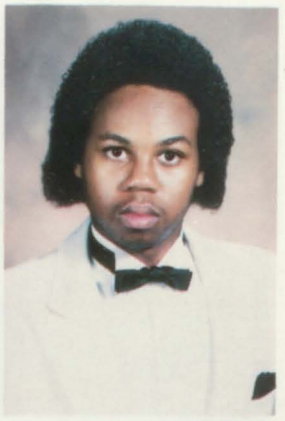
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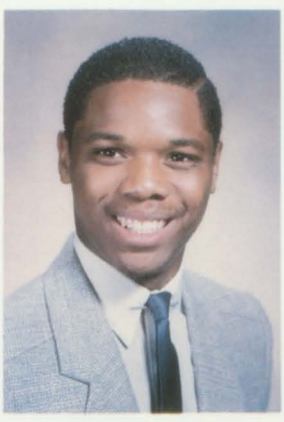
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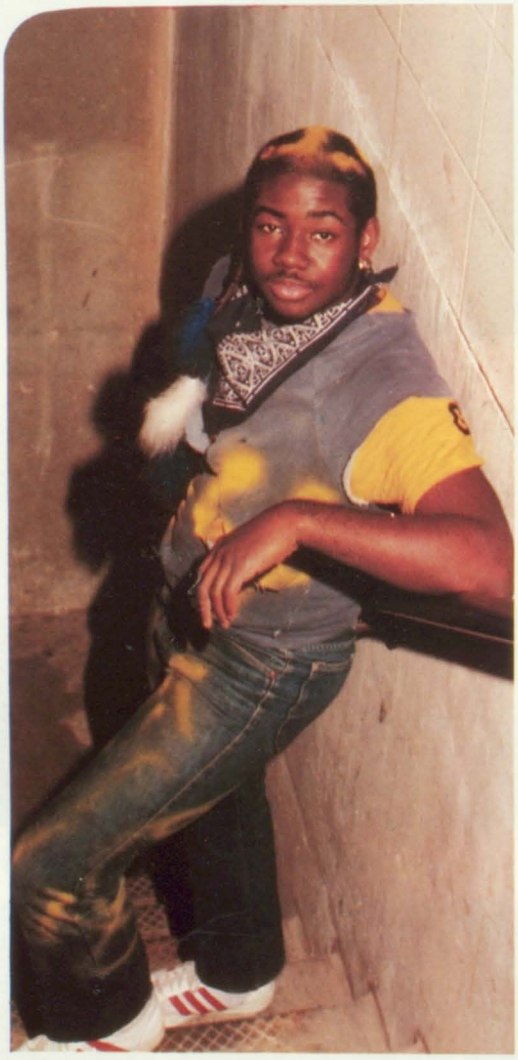
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He built "Bridge on the River Kwai"

Day writes book about life as Japanese POW

Clarence Nixon Day, better known to LW students as Coach Day, retired this year, after 35 years in education, 28 of them at LW.

Before his school career took root, however, there had been four years of college at Indiana State University, and before that, a stint in the US Navy. He had been only 18 when he joined-up, just out of high school and green as grass. The time was 1940.

Day had been assigned to the USS Houston, a battleship flagship of the Navy's Asiatic fleet. On Feb. 21, 1941, the USS Houston, with its crew of 3,500 aboard, was sunk in the straights between Java and Sumatra. Only 365 had escaped alive and Day was one of them.

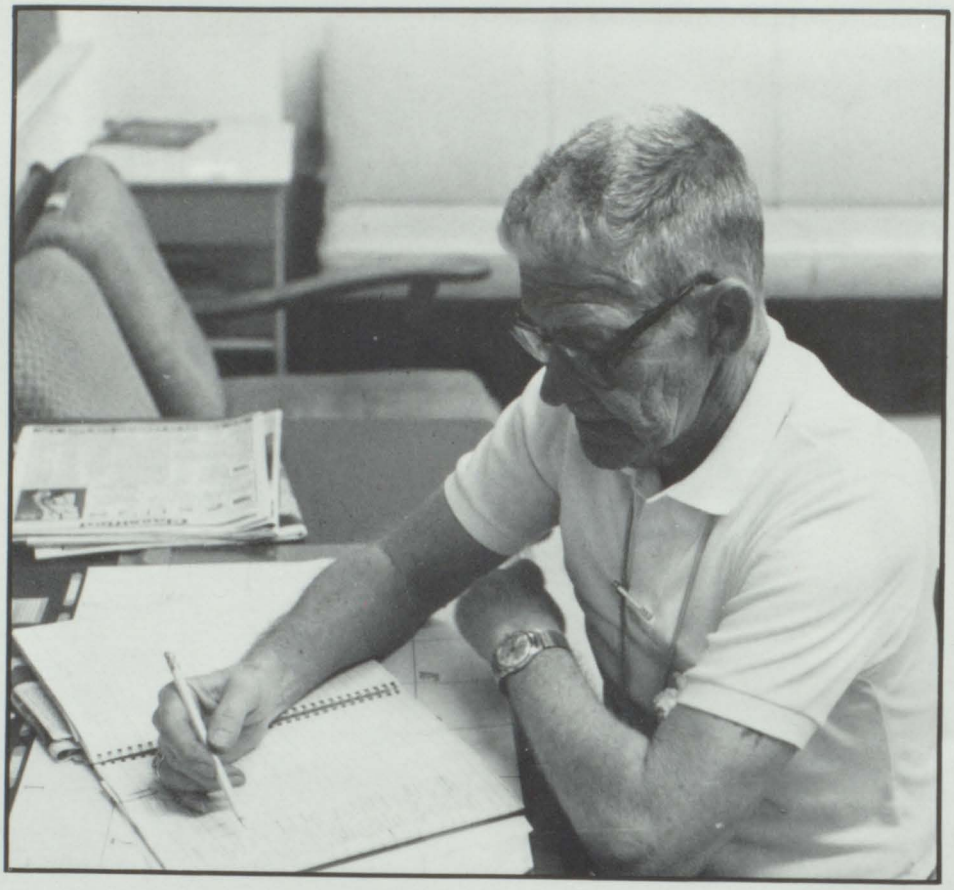
Captured by the Japanese shortly thereafter, Day became a POW, a non-person, the Japanese called a "hor you," which meant prisoner of war, and hence the title of his book ***Hodio.***

As a prisoner and a slave, Day was marched from Java to Singapore, from Malay to Burma, and then to Thailand. It was in the vicinity of Bangkok that Day and thousands of other hodios helped to build the infamous "Bridge on the River Kwai," whose account subsequently became a popular book and an award winning motion picture.

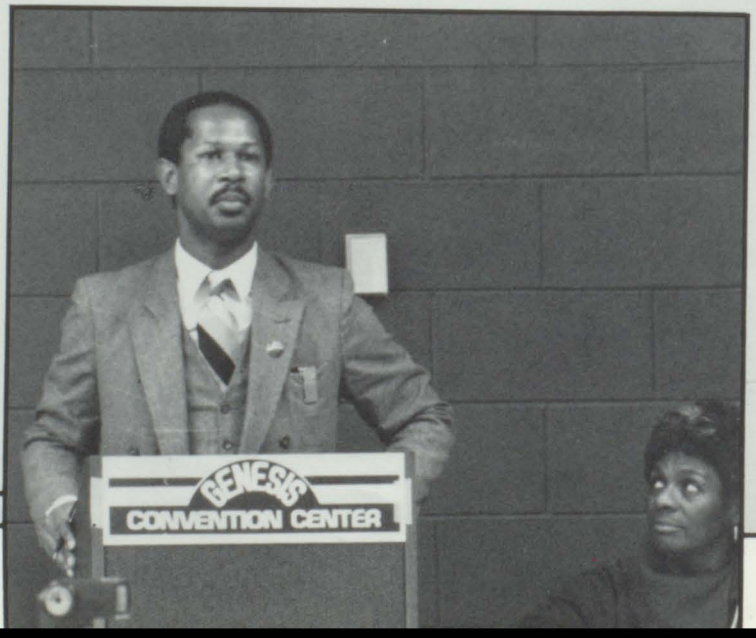
Two thousand hodios died building that terrible wooden trestle bridge. "For every (railroad) tie on that line, three men died," recalled Coach Day. "As a hodio, you accepted death. You'd wake-up each morning to see if your buddy were still alive," he said.

But upon his transport to Saigon, Vietnam, opportunity and luck struck: somehow he managed to escape his captor tormentors and was eventually found by fellow Americans and shipped back to the States and ultimately to his home town of Terre Haute. The rest remains past history.

Clarence Nixon Day retired this year. He was **a teacher who had worn many hats.** ❑



In keeping with the themes of Black History Month, a program honoring the late Dr. Martin Luther King was held at the Genesis Center. Here, city official Doanld Thompson speaks to a largely high school audience.



Looking ahead of "Day After"

perspective

Although interrupted now and then by the common drone of hawking commercials, the sci-fi had been telecasted by ABC into the living rooms and dens of millions of American families, the number of viewers having watched the Sunday night special being estimated by Nielsen at a cool 75 million.

The subject of the film ***The Day After*** dealt with the possible consequences of the present nuclear arms race, a theme centering on the single greatest source of irritation and concern to most Americans, that of global war. Thus through the senational wizardy and technological make-believe of Hollywood, a Soviet nuclear strike on Kansas City was rather realistically depicted as setting off WW III and its grim aftermath for survivors in nearby Lawrence, Kansas.

At the conclusion of showtime, one real Lawrence resident was overheard by a reporter to remark, "We saw all of our nightmares come true. We got a glimpse of what really is at stake in a nuclear war. It was truly terrible."

Such death and doom remarks often are pooh poohed around however. All of us have heard the standard, cliches about WW III being a war, unlike all others, about it being a time of devastation and suffering beyond human imagination and indurance, about our living in the last days before Armageddon.

Thus, what really happens when we are confronted with the less than pleasant is we tend to avert our sophisticaed gazes, make light of a seemingly bad situation, and laugh good naturedly at the impracticality of it all. Typically, we re-adjust our sensors and ignore the signs.

Mark Twain said that most of us were just plain cowards who really hated to look at hell, any kind of hell, but rather preferred to shrink down in our comfortable seats a little lower instead, lest like Lot's wife in a John Ford extravaganza, we see our own vulnerability and mortality.

Moreover, we come to think of a film such as ***Hiroshima*** as containing some real live footage, but we consider ***The Day After*** as mere fictional entertainment. The problems is that somewhere between the two, between the snacks in the microwave and the pop from the fridge, we've gotten mixed-up and have confused reality with fiction.

How many of us grown-ups can really say we set aside adequate quality time for our kids, to sit and listen to them rap about their kicks (for fear that ***Fail-safe*** could go a little crazy in the future), to listen to our offspring describe their dreams and fantasies (that tend to end-up more like Halloween's tripple x-rated ax murders), to listen to their conversations (that too frequently lead to cynical or fatalistic attitudes or to a bad trip to the Cuckoo's Nest)?

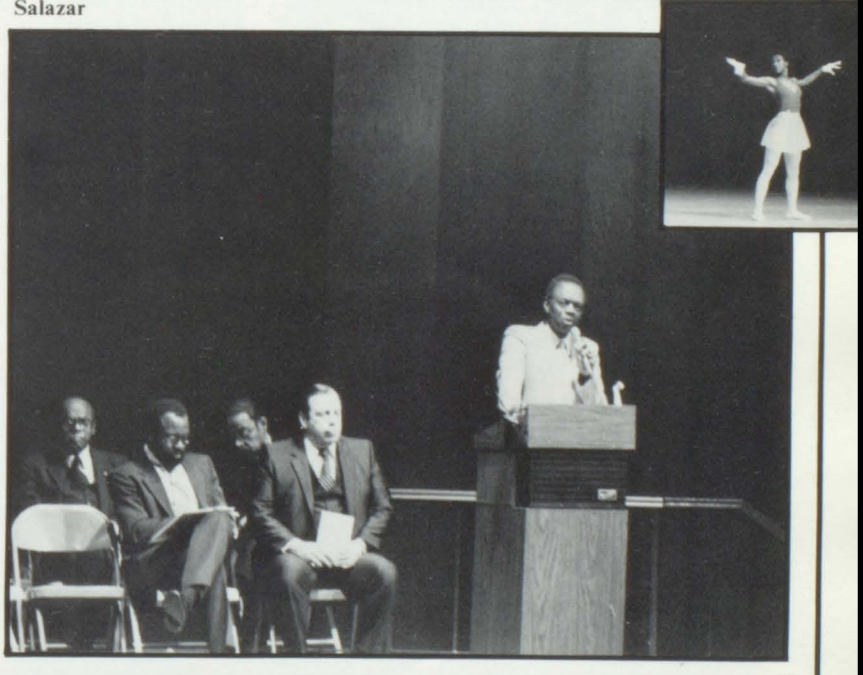
Are the young trying to tell us something? Just look at the growing numbers of youthful protestors slashed across the evening's headlines; put on your ears and listen to the hidden messages of the acid and punk rockers; read a good article about the despair of teen suicides. Just don't continue to be mesmerized by the boobs on cable tube or be compelled to spend your dough on the latest flicks at one of the nine movie theatres inside the local cinema.

Reality is a devious devil, like Edward G. Robinson, or like Skywalker's sword in the hands of Darth Vader, capable of both good and evil. Take care that like the children of the beast, we do not blind ourselves to what our history tries to teach, lest we become like ***Ship of Fools*** or old Bogey re-run on a Tuesday night.

❑ written by **Jass.**

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Black History Month was, also, observed at West Side High School, in addition to LW. Above, Lionel Jackson, senior and Student Council president, takes his turn in the program. **At right,** Robert Jones, Roosevelt High School principal, addresses the high school audience, while Dr. Charlie Nelms, John Stefanelli, Dr. Ernest Battle, and Rev. Robert Lowry await their turns. In inset, the celebration is expressed via a choreographed dance.



Freshman Student Council Members — Front Row: Tina McIntee, Janene Kimble **Back Row:** Ora May Leach, Raquel Washington, Isham Bennett, Nicole Wardlaw.



Sophomore Student Council Members — Front Row: Brian Richardson, Venita Osborn, Ian McElroy, Alicia Fair. **Second Row:** Tracy Carpenter, Telicia Lewis, LaToria Lynch. **Third Row:** Cynthia Marshall, Angela Wilbon, Sherita Smith. **Fourth Row:** Carl Jones, Victoria McKinley, Monique Sanders.

Good citizens get awards

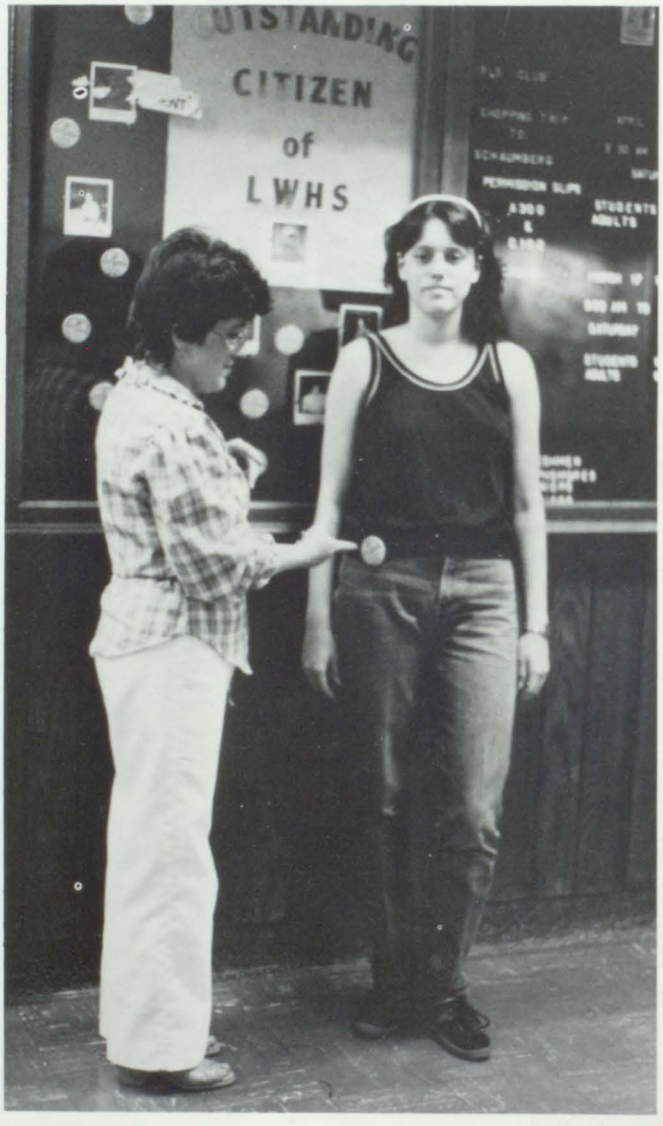
"Believe it or not, the Good Citizen Award was thought up at a fast food restaurant in Michigan," confessed Maxine Ciminillo, Student Council sponsor. "We have many outstanding citizens at LW," she added.

Each month good citizens were recognized by being given a Good Citizen's Award. The exceptional person could be either a student, teacher, or parent.

Two such good citizen were basketball teammates and cousins Rene Glover, junior, and Jerome Harmon, freshman, who both showed courage in playing a game to its end, though informed their aunt had suddenly passed away.

Others who received awards this year were students Alfonso Bowens, Dorothy Djordjevich, Leon Hartfield, Grady Haymon, Kevin Johnson, David Pirtle, and Anna Thomas; teachers, Pauline Burelli, Ruth Hussey, and Gregory Smith; and four PTA parents.

❑ written by **Terry Molloy**



Pointing to a Good Citizen's Award button, Maxine Ciminillo, Student Council sponsor, congratulates Dorothy Djordjevich, junior, on being one of sixteen good citizens recognized for contributions above and beyond the call.



Keith Mott, freshman, is congratulated by a friend for receiving this year's Freshman Courtesy Award.



Junior Student Council Members — Front Row: Aurelia Spann, Angela McFall, **Second Row:** Denise Ricard, Kim Davis, Kecia Mark, Calita Elston, Micah King. **Back Row:** Roderick Frazier, Sonya Carter, Grady Belyeu.



Senior Student Council Members — Front Row: Sylvia McDonald, Alicia Gomsa, Unme Thompson. **Second Row:** Daryl Randolph, Larry Moore, Bryan Gardner. **Back Row:** LaShawn Lowe, Rhonda Jordan, Rebecca Cougias.

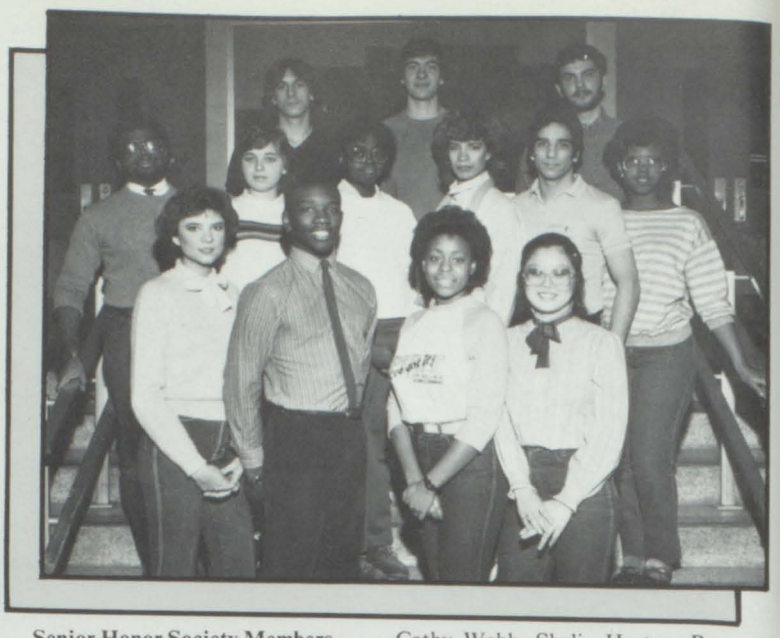


Member of the English Department, Eleanor Dailey obligingly consults her record book for reasons why a disgruntled student, who came with his concerned parent, received the grade he thought he shouldn't have gotten on Parents' Night, when parents came to the Polk Gym in droves, meeting and confering with their children's teachers.



Interested parents and children alike are shown standing in line on Parents' Night. The well attended affair proved to be a highly successful first time effort to get parents from the community more involved in school affairs.





Senior Honor Society Members — Front Row: Rebecca Cougias, Larry Moore, Ingrid Merriweather, Unme Thompson. **Second Row:** Daryl Randolph, Cathy Webb, Shelia Horton, Rebecca King, Joseph Toro, Johnita McBride. **Third Row:** John Bono, George Vazanellis, Robert Trajkovski.

Honor Society inducts

For the academically talented student, a highlight of his high school career has to be being inducted into the National Honor Society.

On May 3, the Honor Society received its new members. Held in the LW auditorium, the evening began with a musical selection by the Concert Band, under the direction of Paul Chilson. Larry Moore, Honor Society president, and Rebecca Cougias, vice president, welcomed and introduced the new inductees.

The Chosen Ones Ensemble set the mood for the ceremony, singing the selections "He Is Worthy To Be Praised," "Rescue Me," and "Up Where We Belong," accompanied by Rebecca King, senior, at the piano.

Speakers for the occasion included Quentin Smith, School City official; Carol Puchowski, Honor Society sponsor; and Christ Christoff, principal.

Inductee Janice Galloway, senior, said afterwards, "I feel it's a great honor to be inducted into the National Honor Society. Actually, I had hoped to be inducted last year, but being new, I guess I didn't know enough teachers, because it's the teachers who decide who's chosen and that really makes you feel very special."

Ingrid Merriweather, senior, installed this year's new Honor Society inductees: Janice Galloway, Eric Newman, Deidra Pettigrew, seniors; Chioma Echeumuna, Quanica Ellis, Calita Elston, Roderick Frazier, Torrence Frazier, Agnes Peterson, Samantha Robinson, and Belinda Wellons, juniors.

❑ written by **Shirelle Chew**



Graduation Convocation, held once again at West Side, featured mortarboards and gowns and hosted local dignitaries, Honor Society grads, and graduating seniors. **Above,** Principal Christ Christoff and Asst. Superintendent Nick McDonald. **At far right,** Becky King. **At right,** Honor Society graduates Shelia Horton and Bonita Kimp.





Junior-Senior CLASS Members — Front Row: Micah King, Denise Ricard, Diana Cox, Cynthia Ezell, Unme Thompson, Rebecca King, Sylvia McDonald, Alicia Comsa, Belinda Wellons. **Second Row:** Roderick Frazier, Kathy Webb, Shelia Watkins, Ingrid Merriweather, Rebecca Cougias, Joe Toro. **Third Row:** Blake Scott, Aurelia Spann, Angela Comsa, LaShawn Lowe, Erica Davis, Larry Moore, Calita Elston, Shelia Horton. **Fourth Row:** Mathew Chavers, Kecia Mark, Mary Ann Morales, Kenneth Johnson, Agnes Peterson, Johnita McBride, Christi Strope, Adam Sanchez. **Fifth Row:** Daryl Randolph, Cherise Drake, Torrence Frazier, Robert Trajkovski, George Vazanellis.



Freshmen-Sophomore CLASS Members — Front Row: Natalie Merriweather, Elana Cannon, Alicia Fair, Debbie Kimp. **Second Row:** Tracy Carpenter, Ian McIlroy, Carl West, Cherese Gregory. **Third Row:** Sherita Smith, Helen West, Angela Wilbon. **Back Row:** Steven Webb, Shawn Cunningham, Erina Hornak, Monique Sanders, Cynthia Marshall, Mike McGee. **Missing:** Victoria McKinley, Carl Jones, Brian Richardson.

Superbowl team bolts in blitz

"We had the strongest team in the city."

Sharing $300 in prize money with first place Horace Mann, this year's talented Academic Superbowl VII team bolted in for second place honors, missing first place on May 9 by a nose.

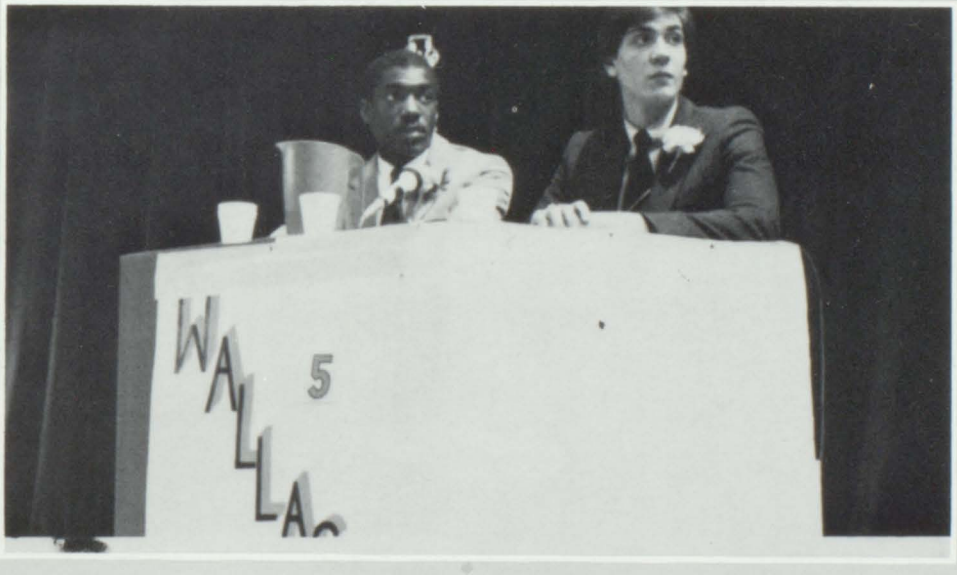
The scholarly Hornet team, consisting of George Vazanellis and Bryon Garner and their alternates Kathy Webb and Shelia Horton, all seniors, led the Superbowl contest well into the third round. Then falling back a bit, they managed to climb up again, tying with the Horsemen towards the end of the competition.

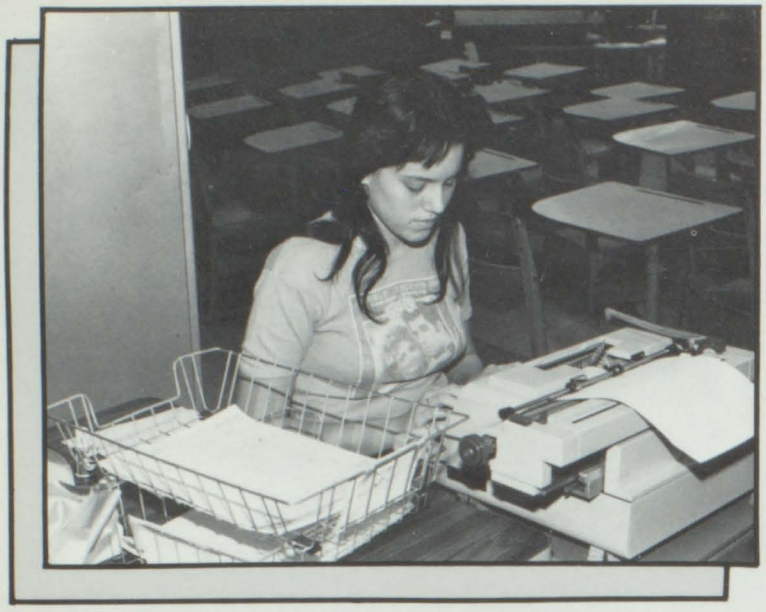
A tie-breaking and final lightning round, however, left the Hornets with having to settle for second, being unable to respond to the question "Who was the founder of Hull House?

"I am extremely proud of this year's Superbowl team," said Carol Puchowski, English teacher and Superbowl team co-sponsor, along with Larry Hinken, math teacher. "I feel we had the strongest team in the city, especially in the areas of science, math, history, and English."

All four scholars, Ms. Puchowski related, had prepped seriously for the competition, beginning in mid-January, during the teacher's strike and on Spring Break, she explained.

❑ reported by **C. Puchowski** and **Christi Strope**





When most students are out to lunch, staffer Dorothy Djordjevich, junior, oftentimes comes to the Quill and Blade room to type.



Philosopher Staffers — Front Row: Michelle Gray, Lisa Manuel, Leon Hartfield. **Back Row:** Rhonda Moman, Irving Walker.



Reviewing the advertising accounts, Quill and Blade staffer Selena Waldon, senior, examines the ad terms and logo, figuring out who wants what.

Though these three Quill and Bladers didn't make the Root shoot, they managed to mug for the camera nevertheless: Shannon Adkins and Elizabeth King, sophomores, and Aveletta Watson, senior.





Advertising plays a very big role in a yearbook's production: the vital funds it brings in to the coffers help offset skyrocketing costs. **In inset, pictured loaded on the truck** and ready to hit the road in search of more advertising are Quill and Blade staffers Keith Mott, freshman; Nora Pulido and Terry Molloy, juniors; Scott Mauseth, freshman; Dorothy. Djordjevich, junior; and Cynthia Ezell, senior. **Already in the truck's cab** are Lisa Manuel and Selena Waldon, both seniors, who got the good seats.



Quill and Blade Staffers — Front Row: Charles Salazar, Charlotte Parker, Janet Sefton, advisor, Angela Auguano, Sherman Campbell. **Second Row:** Anita Powell, Crystal Reese. **Third Row:** Shirelle Chew, Selena Waldon, Lisa Manuel, Melissa Milburn. **Back Row:** Sylvia McDonald, Keith Mott, Anthony Palm, T.J. Wilusz.



Quill and Blade Staffers — Front Row: LaShawn Whiting, Dorothy Djordjevich, Monica Gault, Johnita McBride, Lorenzo Eggerson. **Back Row:** Louis White, Edward Henry, Terry Molloy, Bryan Bullock.









Two more Quill and Bladers who, too, missed the Root shoot, but who still got in the act are Cynthia Ezell and Lisa Manuel, seniors.

Inspecting the newsprint, Leon Hartfield, sophomore feature page editor, pinpoints the part in question, as two more members of *The Philosopher* staff look on.



Busy Quill and Blade staffers took a day off and went on a field trip instead, to Village Woods, to attend a journalism workshop put on by the Josten Yearbook Company. **Pictured** taking a lunch break and enjoying a few hearty laughs in the former Holiday Inn's dining room are staffers Vicki Casko, Charlotte Parker, and Terry Molloy, juniors, and Keith Mott, freshman.



Concert Choir Members — Front Row: Angela Jackson, Marie Arnold, Shalonda Broughm, LeCheryl Sims, Sharyn Lattimore, Alma Gray, sponsor. **Second Row:** Bernard Peterson, Tracy White, Carlee Coleman, Cynthia Andrews, Crystal Reese, Norman Hairston.



Mixed Choir Members — Front Row: Roshanta Smith, Sherita Brody, Trina Evans, Latonya Green, Juanita Jackson, Charlene Steele, Kenya Robinson, Milia Gates, Edwardo Garza. **Second Row:** Veronica Rozier, Tammy Doby, Renoda Lott, Rita Sam, Taronda Love, Rebecca King, Shelia Cannon, Elizabeth King. **Back Row:** Alma Gray, sponsor, Thomas Robinson, Angela Gault, Yvette Thomas, Deborah Patton, Gail Mitchell, Jorge Guiellerau, Sidney Miller, Andre Perry, Wendy Thomas.



During commencement ceremonies in the Polk Gym, Crystal Reese, senior, sings an inspirational selection.

Baptists capture town

Baptists Hold convention in Gary

In the summer of '84, something good happened — the Baptists came to town. Like pilgrims before them, their gathering descended upon the gates of the city in pursuit of a special mission. Among their faithful, many had journeyed from far places: they had come to Gary in cars, buses, and caravans.

And even as they arrived, there were many here who were glad and who greeted them with open joy. Their sheer numbers swelled the holds of the entire town: hotels, motels, and homes overflowed with their legions, even beyond the limits of the city itself.

Catering to their human needs, too, inspired many a native citizen. In one instance, Loni Utley, entrepreneur as well as English teacher, set-up camp in the LW parking lot in order to help feed the hungry conventioneers.

The Post Tribune, also, took shots of political locals receiving the spiritual leaders. Their congregations branched-off and held convention meetings in community schools, like LW. On one memorable occasion, their throngs converged in a single great body upon the plains of the Genesis; and the Reverend Jesse Jackson got up to preach. They had captured the heart of the town.

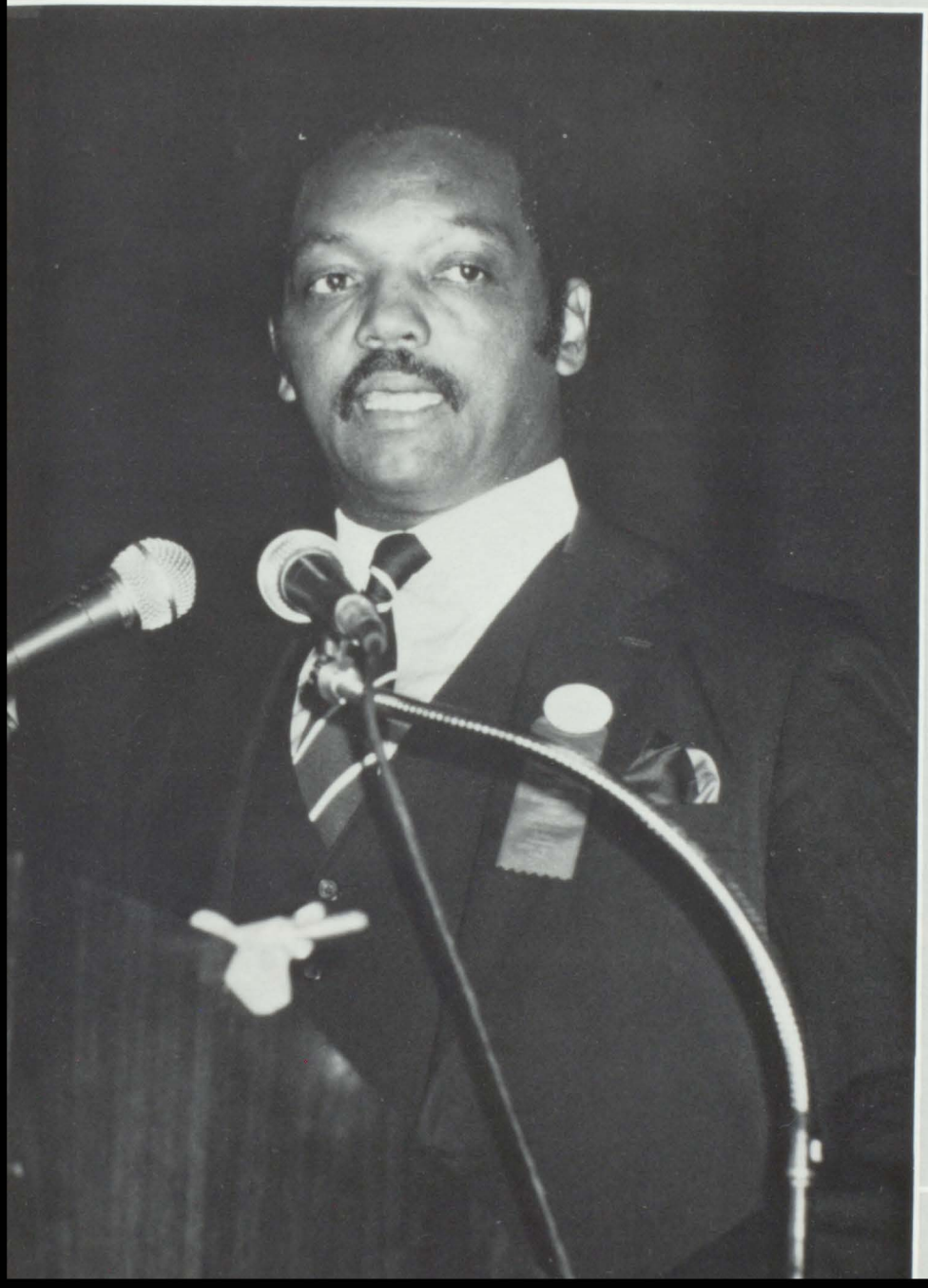
Afterwards, even as their legions departed from the emptied streets, the message of their excellent presence and crusading example was unmistakenly left behind — that the human spirit is infinite and waits to be awakened.

❑ **perspective** by **Jass.**



Gospel Choir Members — Front Row: Tammy Polk, Crystal Reese, Debbie Patton, Paula Thompson, sponsor. **Second Row:** Norman Harriston, Larry Moore, Rebecca King, Anita Powell.







During graduation exercises, talented choral members vocalize before an engrossed audience.

During the summer of '84, members of the Gloryland Baptist Church, hailing all the way from Baton Rouge, came to Gary and to LW for their annual Baptist Convention.

Taking a much needed break after a strenuous dance practice, Selena Waldon, senior, relaxes her tired "bod."





Speech Team Members — Front Row: Cynthia Marshall, Natalie Merriweather, Cynthia Ezell, Cherese Gregory, Arlisher Jones. **Second Row:** Sherita Smith, Angela Wilbon, Bryan Gardner, Tracy Carpenter, Lee Wheeler, sponsor.

Speech Team, talented lot

Rotary contest winners for 9 years

For nine consecutive years, LW Speech Team members have been winners in Rotary Club speech contests. Consistently, they have won both local and state level competitions in categories such as Lincoln/Douglas Debate, oratory, and interpretative reading.

By-in-large, speech team members have been a multi-talented lot. Senior Bryan Garner, winner of the Conklin Memorial Award, in particular, is considered a LW great in oratory. Ingrid Merriweather, senior, has also qualified for the Regional Speech Tournament in impromptu speaking. Winning regional competition, too, Roderick Frazier's, junior, forte is dramatic interpretation.

Speech Team activities, however, are not all work and no play. Their extra curricular enterprises include weekend and overnight trips to different competitions. Sometimes, it's just plain good fun staying in motels and eating out once in a while.

❑ reported by **Lee Wheeler**



Many times actions speak louder than words, Lee Wheeler, speech teacher, finds out, as she and fellow teachers huddle on the cold picket line during this year's teachers' strike.



Omni Dance Troupe Members — Front Row: Tamara Buggs, Tracee Jenkins, Lovetta Holloway. **Second Row:** LaShawn Blair, Dwain Sims, Kim Lollis.



Members of the Gifted and Talented cast stand downstage and receive the audience's ovation for their performance of *The Wiz!* **At right** is Becky King, senior.

LW students enjoy a noonday break jamin' in the ROTC basement. Dancing on their own time proved a worthy fundraiser too.





Y-Teen Members — Front Row: Natalie Merriweather. **Second Row:** Lisa Brazelton. **Third Row:** Ingrid Merriweather, Yolanda Walker, Sherell Overall. **Back Row:** Shirelle Chew, Shaunda Jones, Audra Hiller, LaTonya Lofton.



Girls Club Members — Front Row: Angela Gault, Gina Gault, Monica Gault, Unme Thompson, Carmelle Bush. **Second Row:** Angela Wilbon, Michelle Heard, Angela Toney, Yolanda Gates. **Back Row:** Pauline Burelli, sponsor, Vickey Perkins, Rhonda Moman, Dorothy Kouvelas, sponsor.

The hand moving the chess piece, belongs to John Taylor, senior; and it's just about ready to capture its opponent's queen. Taylor and his addicted friends play this classical game of strategy whenever and wherever they can.



Five chess buffs who happen to be friends have formed their own Chess Club this year, usually plunking down their board wherever they can find a place to play. Shown are John Taylor, Lee Lesure, Michael Patton, Reginald Johnson, Bryan Bullock, seniors, contemplating their favorite intellectual cat and mouse moves.





Pom Pon Members — First Row: Michelle Heard, Capt. Charnell Kimble, Angela White, Rena Martin. **Second Row:** Lenore Harris, Windy Richards, Selena Waldon. **Third Row:** Arfaydra Alexander, Michelle Murri, Francine Whitaker, Tiwanda Glover. **Back Row:** Mary Bradford, sponsor, Kecia Mark, Angelica Weakley, Capt. Traci Bishop, Nadene Stephens.

Like the Pom Pons, LW boosters show their school spirit, too, by volunteering their time and effort to promote their school. During the Homecoming Parade, Natalie Merriweather, and some sophomore friends rah, rah it down Broadway along with the Class of 86's car.



Pom pons work, work, work

This year was one of the Pom Pon's best. It all began with interested girls having to pass an audition, held by Larry Brewer, a professional dancer, and Mary Bradford, club sponsor.

The twenty-five girls that were eventually selected to become members of the Pom Pon squad were chosen on the basis of how well they performed a jazz routine, how fast they learned, and how good their mental attitude was.

Beginning with that fateful audition day, it was uphill all the way thereafter and work, work, work. The squad worked hard going through their routines three days out of each week from 3:30 to 5:00 P.M., like clockwork. Brewer, too, worked hard along with them, as did their elected captains, Charnell Kimble and Traci Bishop.

But in the end, it was well worth all the time, pain, and effort. The girls performed at pep rallies and during halftimes at sporting events, such as basketball games. They danced to "Putting on the Ritz," "Magnetic," and "Girls Just Wanna Have Fun."

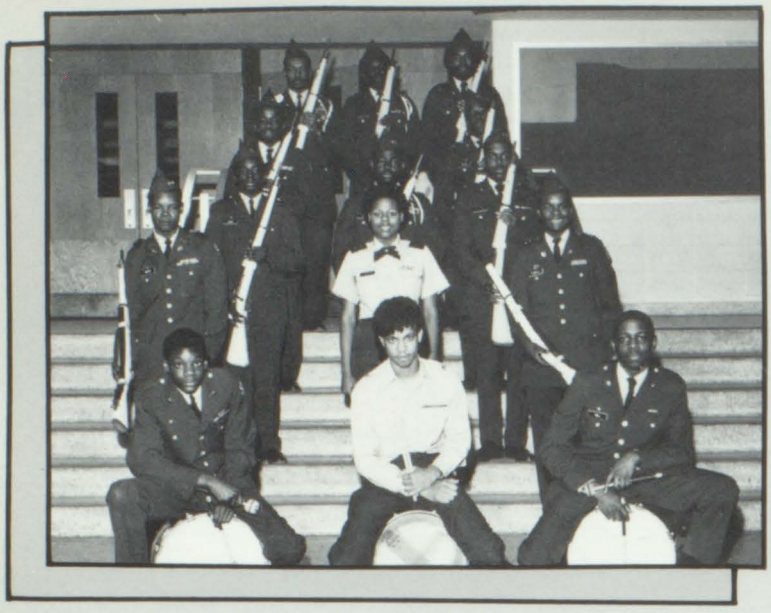
Maybe Charnell spoke for the entire Pom Pon squad when she said, "The club is a lot of fun, especially if you like to dance. But anything that's worthwhile is a lot of hard work, and time, and patience. All of the girls have to learn to act as a single body, and not as individuals. As one of this year's captains, I hope to continue dancing with the group next year as well."

❑ written by **Shirelle Chew**





Pom Pon girls can usually be found practicing their routines up on the third floor of the B-wing most week days after school. Here as a squad member keeps a watchful eye out for faux pas from behind, the hard working Pom Pons perform their daily drills.



Boys Drill Team Members — Front Row: Steven Jones, Michael Green, Alvin Hill. **Second Row:** Donald Smith, Kim Donald, Robert Finnell. **Third Row:** Dion Lewis, James King, Craig Cole. **Fourth Row:** Vince Golden, James Taylor. **Back Row:** Ervin Talley, Robert Lafayette, Carl Johnson.



Girls Drill Team Members — Front Drummers: Steven Jones, Michael Green, Alvin Hill. **First Row:** Tamiko Donaldson, Cynthia Whittler, Chrystal Burns, Cheryl Coops, Theresa Wynn, Kimberly Donald. **Second Row:** Anitra Tarver, Angela McFall, Susie Johnson, Marie Watson. **Back Row:** Lisa Jackson, Lori Simmons, Cheryl Watson, Dana Smith, Judy Simmmons.

Members of the Girls Drill Team perform their regimented routines in perfect unison. AFI judges thought the lady soldiers to be outstanding too — so much so that they awarded the LW Girls Drill Team the city championship. The same squad, also, took second place honors at Culver Military Academy and third place at Fort Wayne. Cheryl Coops, senior, was named best commander.



Going through their paces at the Genesis, juniors Mathew Chavers, Robert Lafayette, and Robert Finnell, standing in mid-air, perform at the annual AFI competition. Sgt. James Herring asserted, "Commander Robert Finnell, did an outstanding job, even though we finished fourth."





Color Guard Members — Front Row: Charles Heffner, Angela McFall, Ervin Talley. **Second Row:** LaTanza Plummer, Sonja Jones, Lanita Coles. **Third Row:** Charmaine Palmer, Yoti Kale, LaShawn Lee, Kim Donald. **Back Row:** James King, Craig Cole, Robert Lafayette.



Rifle Team Members — Front Row: James King, Ervin Talley, Mike Cenko. **Back Row:** Kim Donald, Derrick Nash, John Savant, John Jamka.



Both male and female members of the LW Color Guard reverently accompany Old Glory's march down Broadway past McDonald's in the Homecoming Parade. Charles Heffner and Lorenzo Eggerson, both seniors, pace at opposite ends, while Lanita Coles, senior, supports the middle.

Below, cross examining four of his charges at an impending drill team meet, Sgt. Bryant Crenshaw huddles with his troops. James King, senior, Cheryl Coops, senior and John Jamka, sophomore, stand at ease and take five, while Charles McKinney, keeps his guard up at rapt attention.





Two rather sober looking commanders eyeball the troops at a ROTC competition held in the Hornet's Polk Gym. Paul Chilson, band director, provided the marching music.



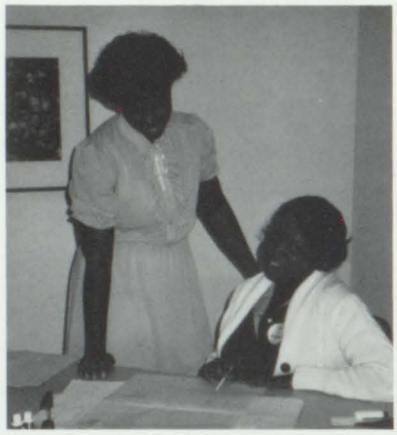
OEA Members — Front Row: Linda Riley, Linda Harris, Debbie Rios, Imogene McMurtrey, sponsor. **Second Row:** Veronica Broyles, Lisa Manuel, Diana Haire.



DECA Members — Front Row: Rhonda English, Angela McFall, Lanita Coles, Mary Brown, Sharon Rozier, Roslyn DuBose, Phyllis Brown, Barbette Hayes, Marina Binsuad. **Second Row:** Toy Miller, Mary Ann Morales, Diana Coy, Lolita Colbert, Richard Diaz, Bennie Hargrove, John Rivera, Adrienne Guy. **Third Row:** Micah King, Bertha Gipson, Denise Ricard, Trina Long, Lanell Riley, Reggie Roberson, Eric Johnson, Walter Keys. **Back Row:** Levanita Holloway, Cassandra Barnes, Kathy McClendon, Carl Johnson, John Tolbert, Darryl Lyons, Jacqueline Hughes, sponsor.



On a field trip to the Minnesota twin cities, a DECA bunch joins together around a congenial dinner table for some good times and memorable experiences.





OEA's apprentices get their initial tastes of the real working world and perhaps their futures. **Shown at right,** working for the NAACP Life Membership Committee is Diana Haire, senior. **Above,** LaTanyda Anderson, senior, is seen working at the Gainer Bank. **Above right:** Linda Harris, senior, works at a Rexall Drugstore.

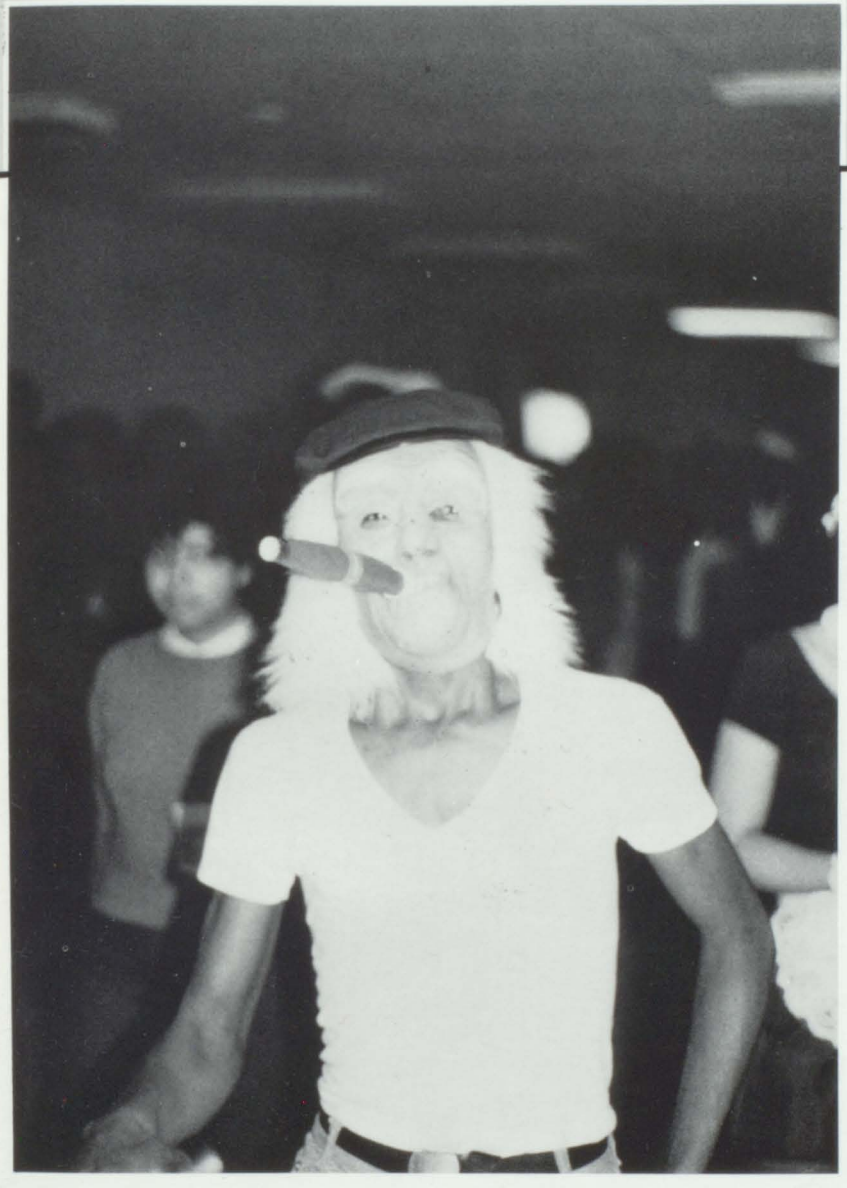




Hornet's Nest Crew — Front Row: Sylvia McDonald, Anthony Palm. **Back Row:** Selena Waldon, Bryon Garner, Vickey Perkins.



Hornet's Nest Crew — Front Row: Eleanor Smith. **Back Row:** Natalie Merriweather, Deborah Patton, Ingrid Merriweather.



Y-Teens, fired-up

Y-Teen president Natalie Merriweather, sophomore, nodded her head and said, "I just love being president of Y-Teens because its office gives me a sense of responsibility and keeps me fired-up. It was sort of hard at first, but I really like it now."

The girls in Y-Teens are a close knit group who try to set good examples for other school organizations. They're oftentimes a talented and outgoing bunch, as well, who enjoy new faces, new things, and new places.

"We've gone to the Red Lobster for dinner," related Natalie, "and we've gone on shopping sprees in and around Chicago during the holidays. At Thanksgiving and at Christmas, we pack food baskets for those in need. We, also, receive a list of names of children who live at an orphanage and take Christmas presents to them." Then, pausing for a moment, Natalie added, "I think maybe giving presents to the orphans is one of my favorites."

written by **Anita Powell**

All fired-up for Quill and Blade's Haunted House Rock wingding, Lee Robinson, sophomore, behind the mask and cigar, attends the fundraiser dance.

Some people like Stanley Mohn, senior, have a knack for creating something out of something simple.





French Club Members — Front Row: Brian Richardson, Frenchie Payne, Cynthia Marshall, Michelle Heard, Michelle Benton. **Second Row:** Wanda Lawson, Arlisher Jones, Samantha Robinson, Carmen Brown, Vanessa Thomas, Victoria McKinley. **Third Row:** Darryl Randolph, Laronna Otis, Janice Strope, Keshia RaShada, Cherese Gregory. **Fourth Row:** Ingrid Merriweather, Yoto Kale, Christi Strope, Mike McGee.





Costumed French Students Brandon Wellons, senior, Sharon Walker, senior, and Samantha Robinson, junior, take a Mardi Gras breather and parley vou awhile.



During French classes' annual pre-Lenten Mardi Gras celebration, Daryl Randolph, senior, enjoys tasting some of the fare.

Leading the way on Mardi Gras Day is Mary DeLoach, French teacher.

Here we go! Roun' and roun' singing our French songs, these students in Mrs. DeLoaches' seem to say, on Mardi Gras Day.





Los Amigos Members — Front Row: Jennifer Ash, Yvonne Abel, Rhonda Gross, Yolanda Gates, Ivette Muniz, Carmen Valle, sponsor. **Second Row:** Dionne Brumfield, Raquel Washington, Tina Klebofski, Mary Strope, Agnes Peterson. **Third Row:** Cynthia Torres, Shawn Cunningham, Cynthia McClain, Oralia Olivarez, Sonya Thomas. **Back Row:** Mose Carter, T.J. Wilusz, Joe Peluyera, Stephen Webb.



Los Amigo Members — Front Row: Ian McElroy, Carolyn King, Monica Gault, LaTonya Lofton, Rebecca Justo, sponsor. **Second Row:** Angela Toney, Rose Radziewicz, Jacinta Polk, Angela Wilbon, Mario Auguano. **Third Row:** Carmelita Mangual, Dwayne Robinson, Michelle Fisher, David Hubbard, Joe Auguano, Angela Auguano. **Fourth Row:** Barbara Lozanovski, Christe DeLeon, Yvette Stephens, Tracy Hall, Juanita Hawkins. **Back Row:** *, Quinnesia Mayfield, *, Charlotte Parker.
* unidentified.

Languages savor cultures

In an exceptional effort by sponsors Carmen Valle, Rebecca Justo, and Nancy Pizaza to encourage their Spanish students to savor the many flavors of Spanish culture, members of Los Amigos have enjoyed a number of field trips to Chicago and to local Spanish restaurants, have seen a movie featuring the youthful Latin singing group "Menudo," and have attended a Congress of Spanish Clubs of Indiana.

In addition, part of the Christmas present the sponsors presented to members of Los Amigos was to see the Latin rock group "Kantares," at the Chicago Hilton. Upon their return, club members were treated to a Mexican-style Christmas party in the wrestling room, together with all the traditional cultural trimmings of pinata and Spanish carols.

To promote the culture of its mother tongue, members of the Cercle Francais support French activities, song and travel.

Its members, this year, attended a production of "Le Medecin Malgre," as performed by the National Theatre of the Performing Arts.

In the Franco tradition of the Noel Season, French Club members exchanged "handmade" Christmas gifts also.

Then, as a prelude to the Lenten Season, emulating their counterparts in New Orleans, they enjoyed a series of mini-Mardi Gras throughout the school day, in which they dressed-up in gala costumes, sang, danced, and feasted the French hours away.

Finally, the group helped launch one of their own, Belinda Wellons, senior, on a two week trip to France, where Belinda was the guest of a French family and where she enjoyed fourteen days of genuine French life.



Spanish students try to wack goodies out of the pinata.

Auguano



The presence of Carmen Valle's Spanish students and their joyful sounds fill the empty halls at Christmas.

Auguano



Pulido

Junior Nora Pulido went to Mexico to see her grandfather. Here he is viewed against an ancient backdrop.



Majorettes — Front Row: Monifa Nelson, Maria Pipkins, LaShawn Whiting.



Concert Band Section Leaders — Front Row: *, Janice Galloway, Rhonda Momon. **Second Row:** Kevin Williams, Bryant Graves, Keith Washington. **Third Row:** Lee Robinson, Reginald Gillis. **Back Row:** *.

* unidentified





Director Paul Chilson and his band are asked to perform for many school functions. Here, Keith Mott, sophomore, and the boys play for Evening School graduation.



Members of the Marching Band perform during Homecoming.



Band boosters play important fundraising roles that k marching.



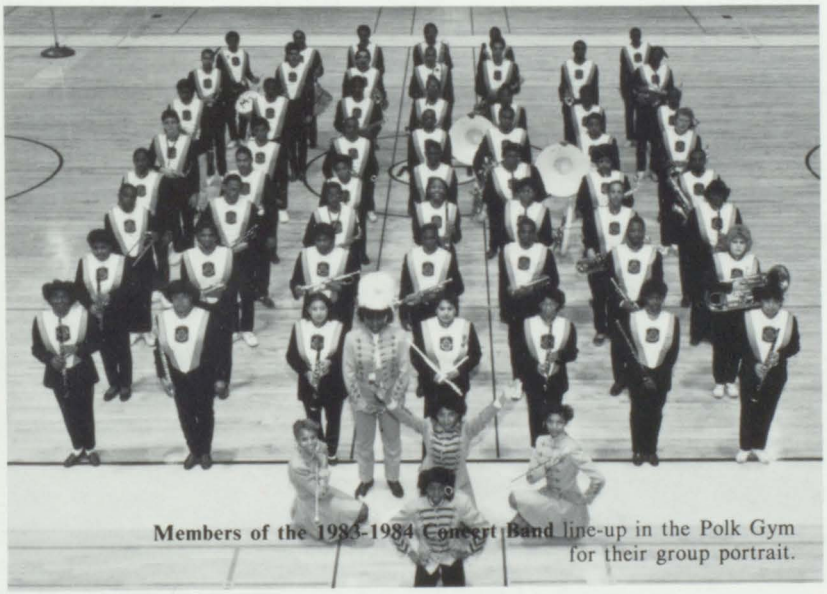
Jazz Ensemble Members — Front Row: Louis Reese, Steven Jones, Mark Smith, Alma Gray, director. **Back Row:** Michael Crump, Reginald Gillis, Janice Galloway, Christine Chester.



String Orchestra Members — Front Row: Denette Jackson, Patricia Newson, Gena Mabon. **Second Row:** Terry Gearld, Lisa Mabon, Darling Henderson. **Back Row:** Paul Chilson, director, Doris Freeman, Leonard Williams.



officers are pictured above: Janice[illegible] ...dan, senior; and Rhonda Monon; ...rs Paul Chilson and Alma Gray.



Members of the 1983-1984 Concert Band line-up in the Polk Gym for their group portrait.

Class enjoys college circuit

"Members of the CLASS have been busy, this year, related their sponsor Sarah Boyajian, science teacher. They have been active in traveling to various universities, among other places.

On one occasion the group went on a junket to Purdue University, in West Lafayette, where they saw college students perform the classic play *Hamlet,* by William Shakespear.

"We enjoyed the college production very much," said Sherita Smith and Helen West, sophomores, "because it was both educational and entertaining." Both agreed that it was an opportunity for high school students to experience a campus activity other than academics.

CLASS members, also, were able to travel to Butler University to attend seminars on nursing and other medically related fields.

"I really enjoy these field trips," said Calita Elston, junior, "because they're informational and exciting. And we get to take a closer look at college life."

❑ written by **Anita Powell**



Hornet's Nest — Front Row: Deborah Patton, Natalie Merriweather, Phyllis Brown. **Back Row:** Irvin Walker, Rosalyn DuBose, Bryon Garner.



Concession Club — Front Row: Cynthia Marshall, Natalie Merriweather, Alicia Fair, Gardina Kelley. **Second Row:** Victoria McKinley, Kristyn Washington, Rebecca King, Tracy Carpenter, Sponsor Edward Dietsch.

QB hosts Haunted House Rock

Quill and Blade hosted a spirit raising Halloween ball right in the surge on the eve of All Souls Day. The staffers had publicized the affair as the "Haunted House Rock."

The masque featured the lively strains of S.O.S., fancy decorations, and bales of hay, as well as prizes for the most bizarre attire.

Selena Waldon, senior staffer, came in red as a smashing devil, complete with horns and all. Selena's mother, who helped chaperone, dressed as a Southern belle.

In the end, it was Death who "held dominion over all" and who succeeded in winning a trophy for having the best costume.

The dance was colorful, unusual, and, pardon the expression, a real gas. It was rumored that most of the revelers made it back home before the clock struck twelve.



Death wins out in the end.

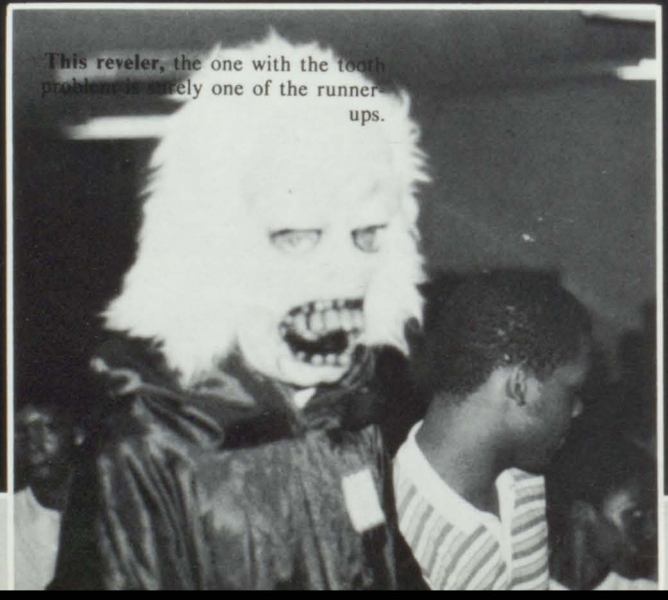
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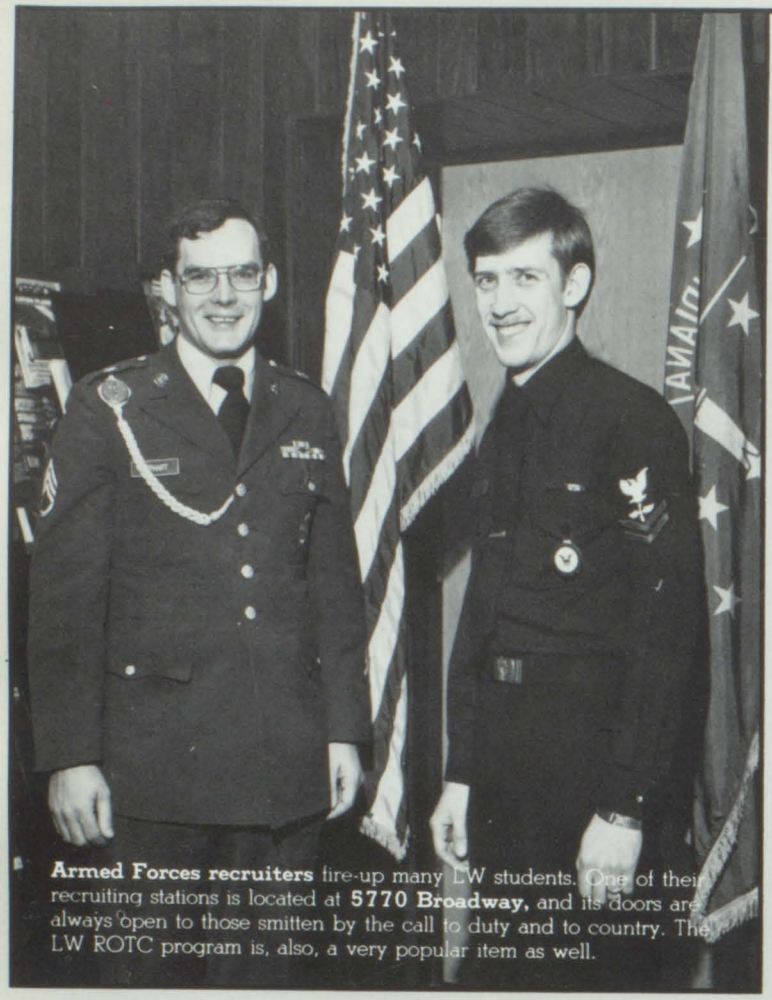
Telicia Lewis, sophomore; Dennise Williams and Gwendolyn Barnes, frosh, appear in their masquerades.



This reveler, the one with the tooth problem, is surely one of the runner-ups.

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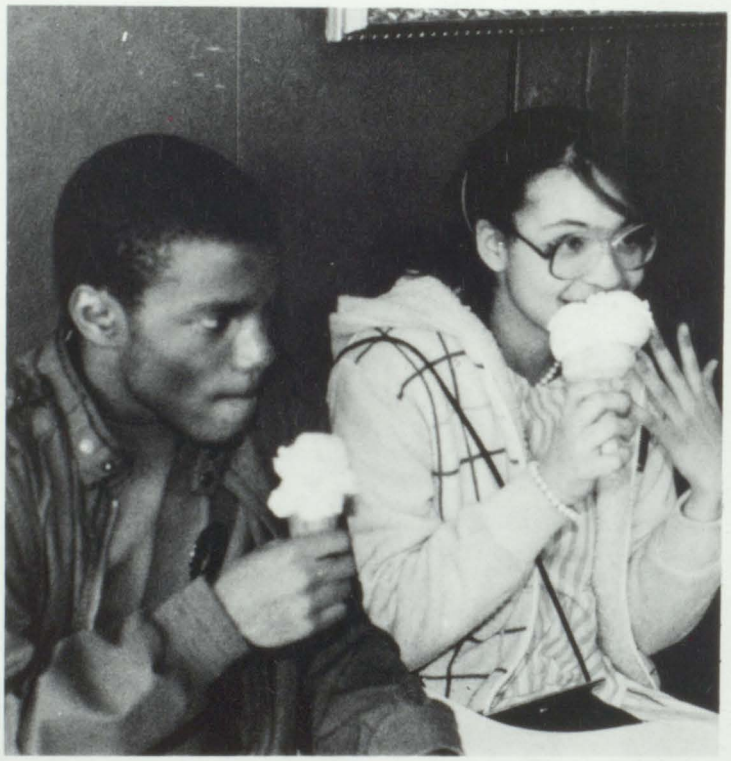
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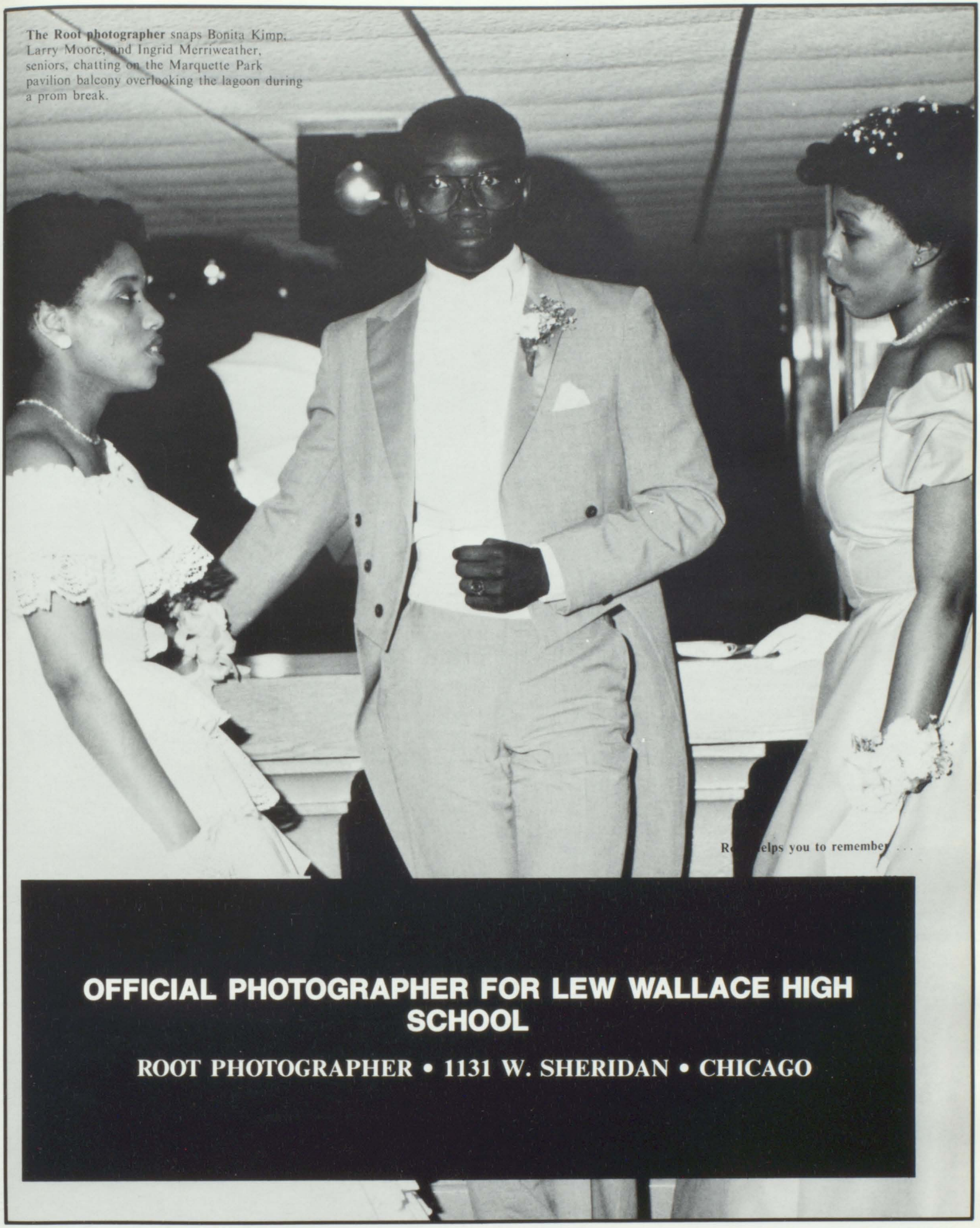
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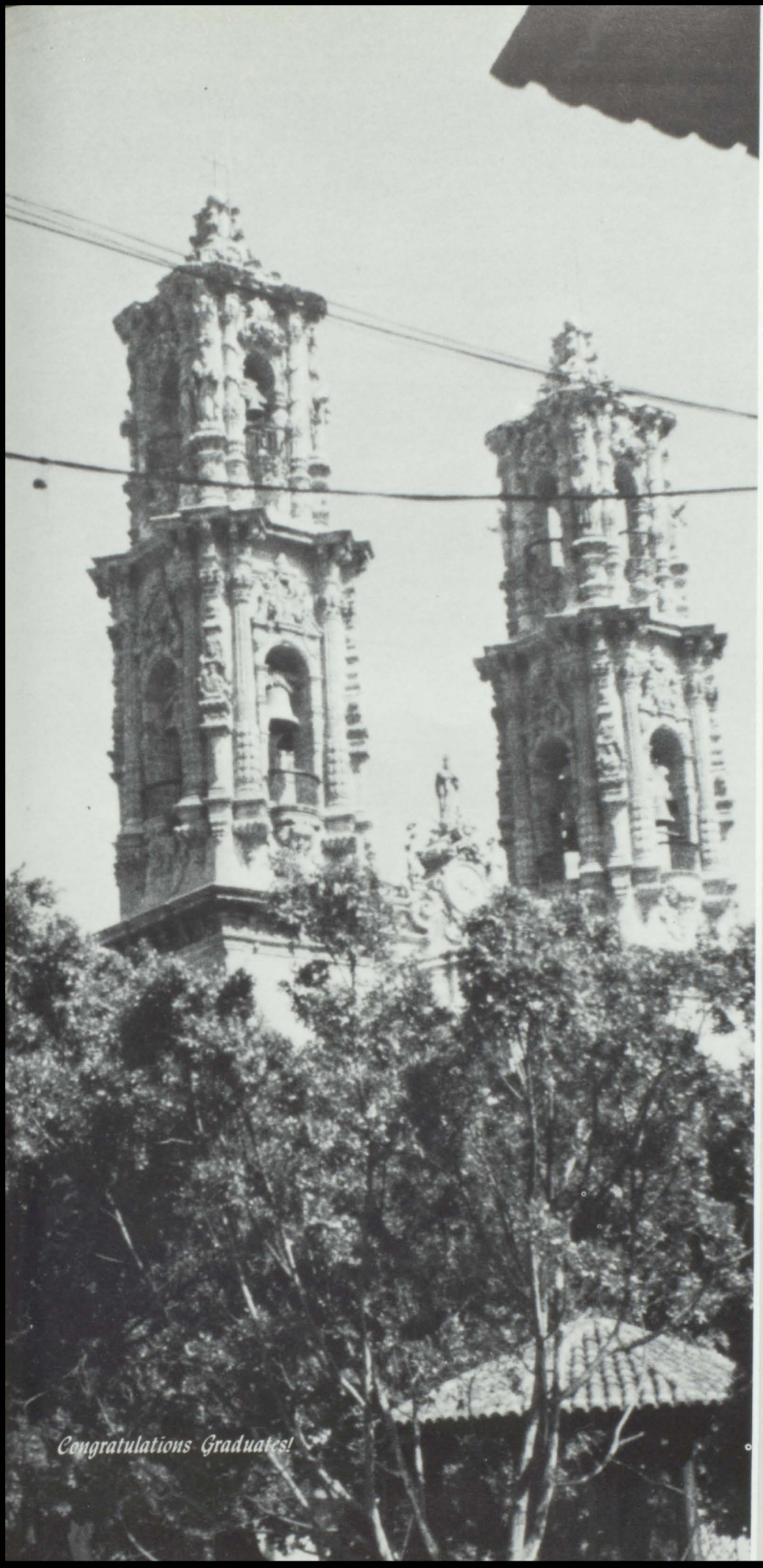
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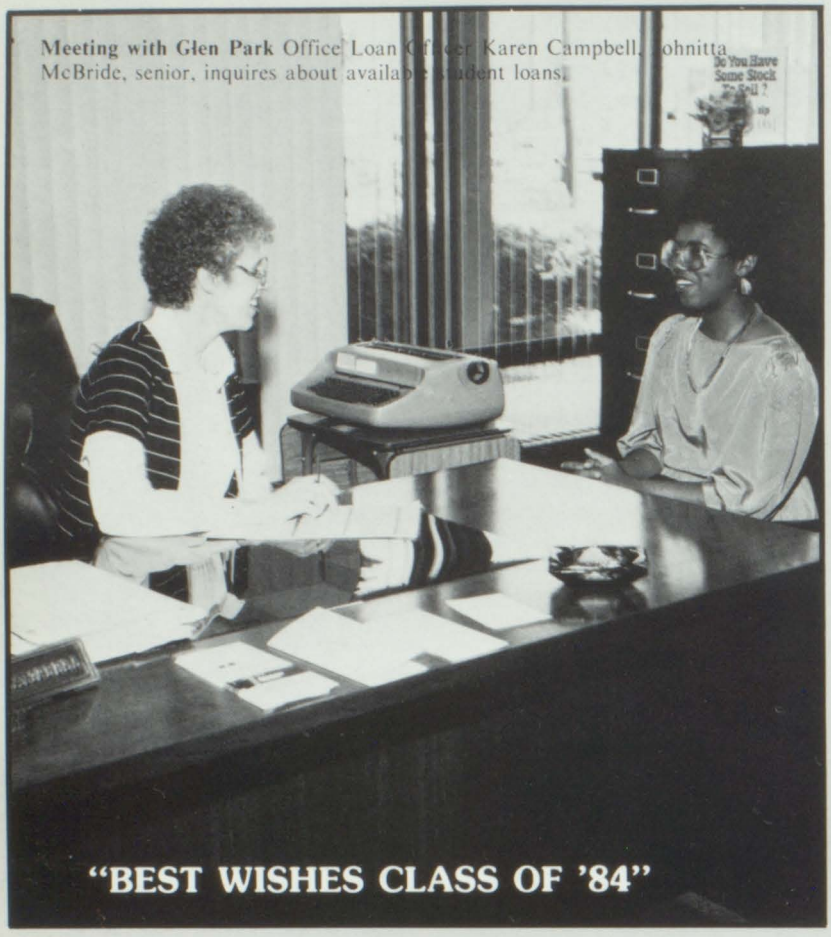


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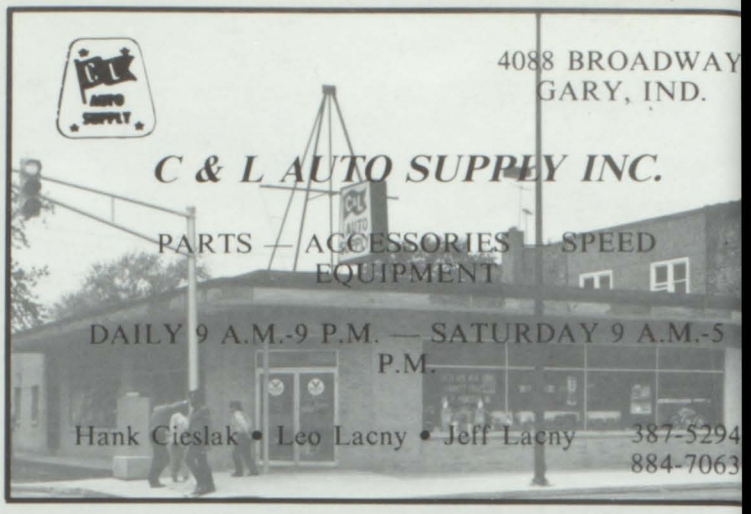
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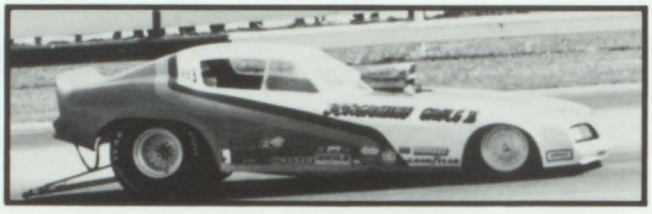
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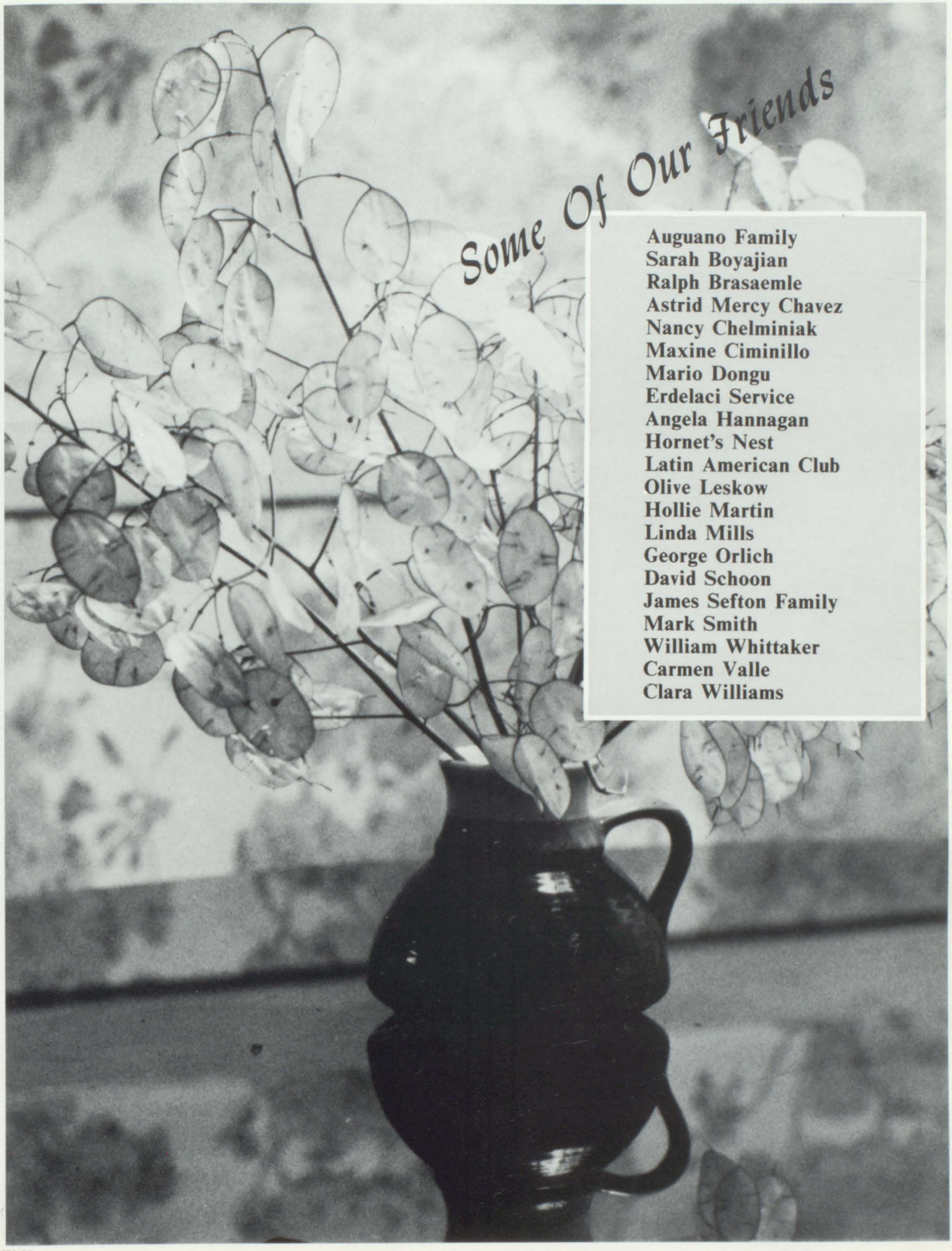
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Rites of passage

Graduation night, like other such special occasions, symbolically is one of the **Rites of passage** made by youth as they make their way into the adult world. It is a time of stuffing away the toys of childhood and of achieving the acknowledged status of greater maturity. Welcome in the real planet, graduates!

Pictured below making her way from Polk Gym and graduation ceremonies '84 is a melancholy **Donna Ruzbasan. At right, Natalie Merriweather** plants one on sister **Ingrid.**

On the next page at top, Sharon Walker walks away with her diploma in row. Elated **1984 graduating seniors** let fly cheers and hats as they are offically pronounced graduated. **At botton, Paul Bonilla** whimiscically dons his mortarboard on the dome of a future graduate.

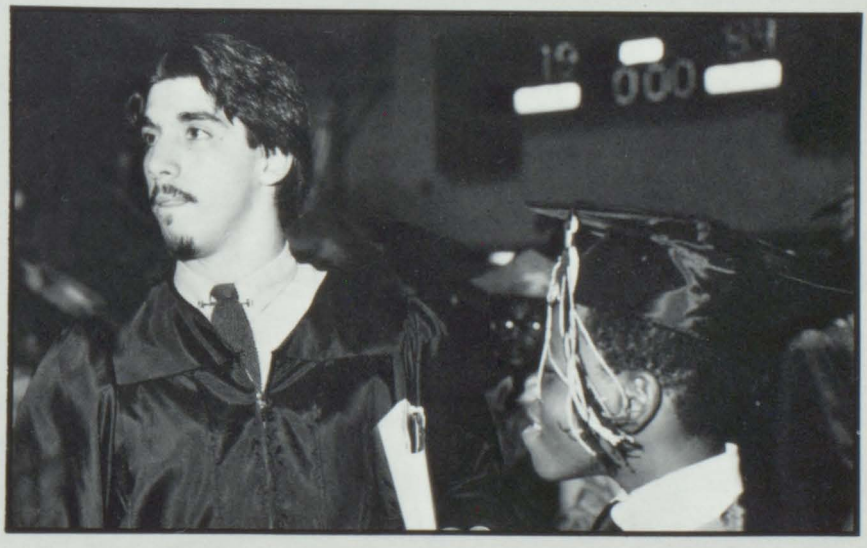




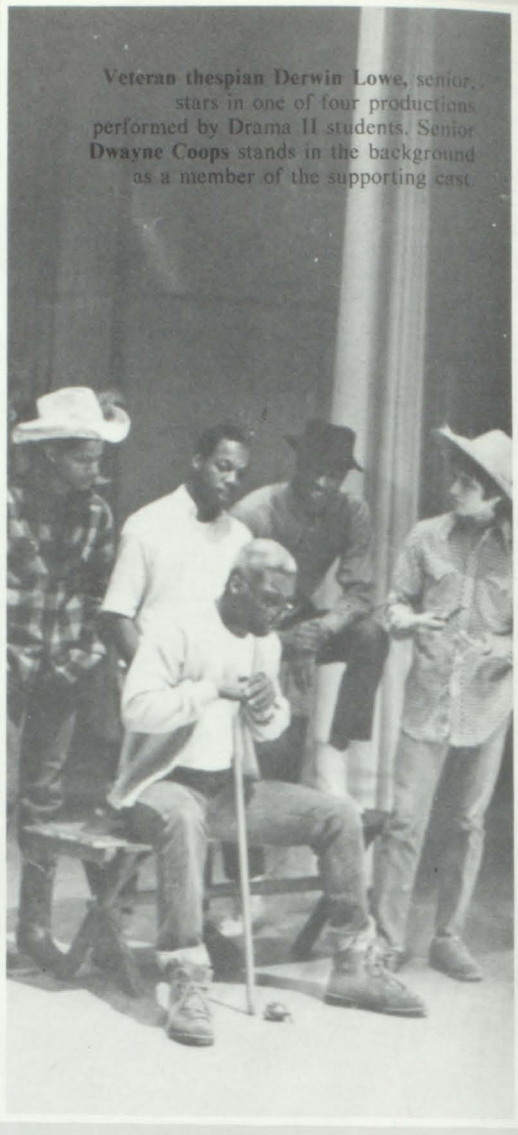












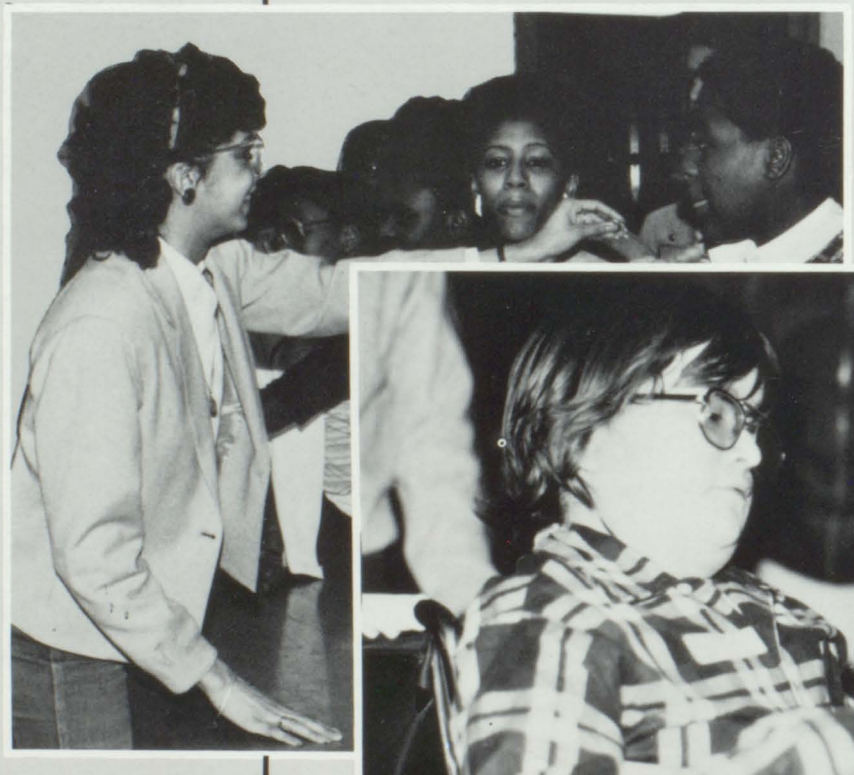
Veteran thespian **Derwin Lowe,** senior, stars in one of four productions performed by Drama II students. Senior **Dwayne Coops** stands in the background as a member of the supporting cast.

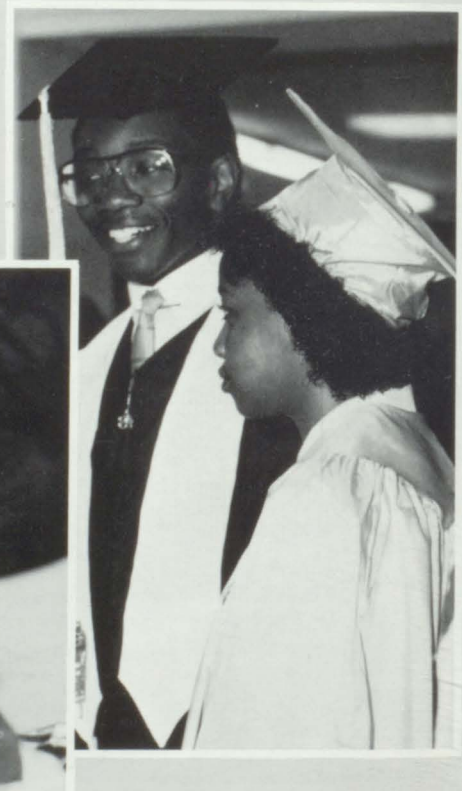
Flashes of before

Flashes of before return like souvenirs of yesterday when we all experienced those youthful times that enriched our lives.

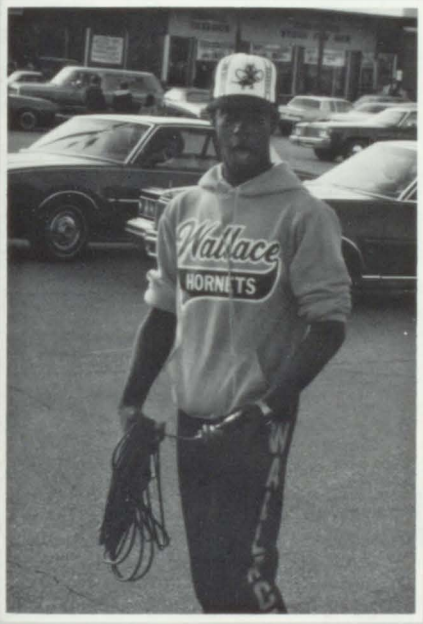
Pictured at top of page, Dérrick Brooks, senior varsity player, tries to foil a shot of a key Roosevelt opponent at the Gary Holiday Tourney. The championship game nearly went to the wire before the Hornets ran out of gas and the Panthers won 67-41. **At right,** during this year's prom "A Nite to Remember," senior **George Ramos** engages in a bit of romantic cheek-to-cheek dancing at Marquette Park. **Below,** an enterprising **Sylvia McDonald,** senior, has some good times while working at the Hornet's Nest at high noon. Graduation for **Brian Lopez,** senior is a very special milestone in his life. **Next,** honor graduate **Larry Moore,** senior, proudly sports his Honor Society insignia.











Livewire and"preacher" Lionel Jackson, senior and former Student Council president, clowns for the camera as he provides some serious help and behind the scenes prep for the 1983 Homecoming Parade.



At top of page, senior varsity football, players, better known in entertainment circles as the **"Jockettes,"** let loose with an "all for one and one for all" root, during a break in the Quill and Blade Promo Show. **Above,** varsity cheerleader **Unme Thompson,** senior, has it all — beauty, brains, and talent — a modern recreation of the old ideal.

Colophon

The theme of this 1983-1984 yearbook was **A Spark of Excellence.**

The cover chosen was a Josten's creation. The base background ink color was Black 535, complimented with the numbers "1984" imprinted in Gold Foil 380 on the binder side and vertical touls extending into a spark, likewise done in a gold foil, on the opposite end. The lettering of the theme was printed on the cover face in Pale Gold 328.

Portraits in the senior album were repoduced in four process color. The book's opening theme section was, additionally, highlighted with spot color and with special effects color. End sheets chosen were in Parchmatte 303.

Body copy was printed primarily in 10 pt. Times Roman Bold type, with 8 pt. caption copy. Opening story typography was in 12 pt.

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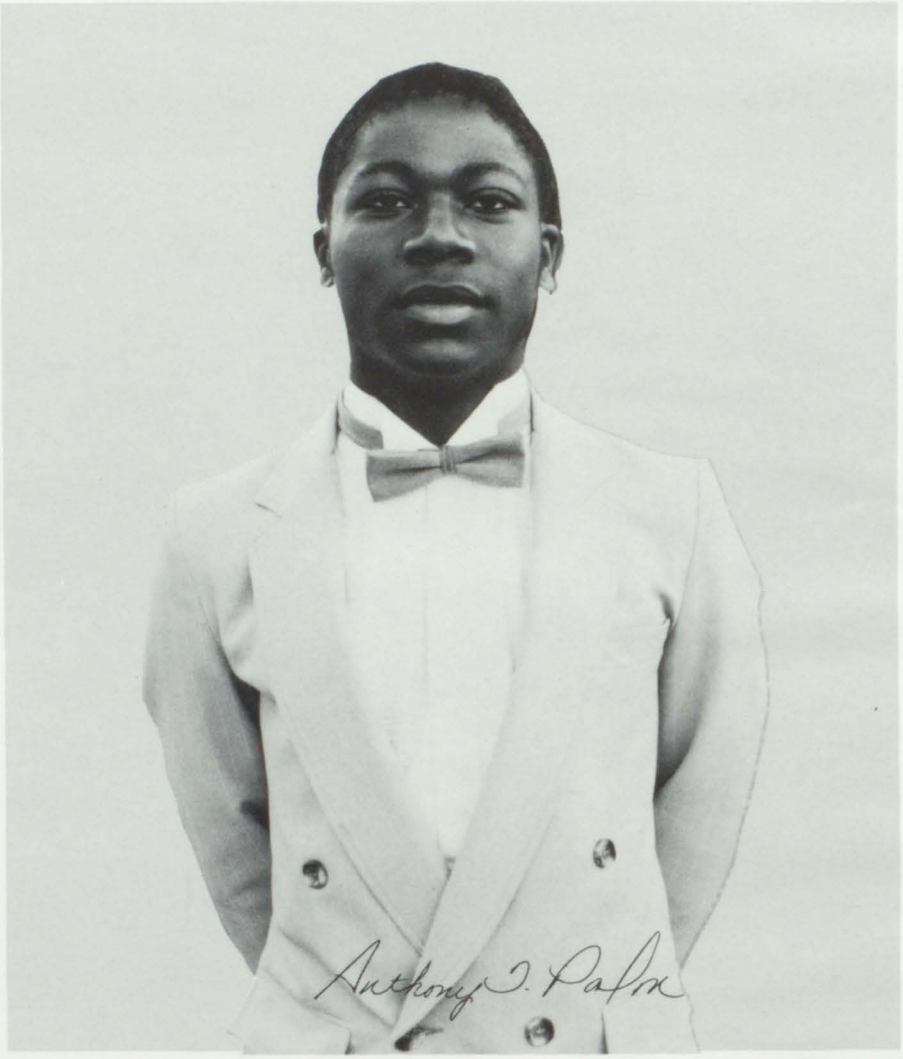
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With the book completed at last, Quill and Blade staffers turn away from their labors. **Editor-in-chief Tony Palm,** however, looks back in final reflection.

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